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WELL-MATED.

A small little fellow find such a fat wife.
Fat wife, fat wife,
She looked like a drum and he looked like a pipe.
And it took all his money to dress her,
To dress her,
To wrap up her body and warm her toes,
At foot, fat foot,
For bonnets and bows and stitken clothes,
God keep her,
She grew like a giant and he like a sword.
To drink her,
God spare her,
She took all the bed and he all the board,
And it took a whole sack to bear her,
God spare her,
She spread like a fur, he shrunk like a pike.
God spare her,
And nobody ever beheld the like,
They had to wear glasses to shave him,
God spare him!
She fatten'd away till he interest one day,
Explosion, blew up,
And all the people that saw it say
She covered over an acre,
God spare her!
An acre.

NOTES OF OUR NEIGHBORS.

The Cross Plains Post has a well written description of Borden Springs in the northern part of Etowah county. It is undoubtedly a charming place and could be made a great health resort.

The literary club of Cross Plains still flourishes.

Speaking of the first newspaper venture in Cross Plains the Post says:

We have in our office part of a copy of the Cross Plains Democrat, published March 11, 1871. It was edited by S. Spigler. The enterprise fell through and has almost been forgotten. It left the position vacant and the Post is now prospering in the field where the Democrat perished. Fourteen years have brought about a wonderful change. During the life of the Democrat, Patona flourished as an infant railroad town to the injury of our city. But Patona has been deserted and left alone in the darkness of her ruins.

Cross Plains has come to the front and is basking in the bright sunlight of prosperity. We have a new railroad which, at that time was not anticipated even in the remotest degree. When the relic of the Democrat was published, the Jacksonville Republican was the principal representative of Calhoun's journalism. Now, the journalism of our county has several representatives—The Post, The Republican, The Hot Blast, The Daily Watchman and others. Notwithstanding the number of opposing journals in the county, The Republican has lost no part of its high standing with the people.

Nearly all the papers in the county seem to be in a prosperous condition. This is due to the increased interest on the part of the people, many of whom are taking every paper published in the county. When another fourteen years have passed, our Mountain Embowered City will be a charming railroad center and the Post will be a spicy daily.

Died.—In this city yesterday morning, Mrs. Paulina Langston, an aged and beloved lady, who leaves many friends behind to weep over her departure.—Cross Plains Post, May 29th.

The Post urges the people of Cross Plains to build a first class hotel.

The Anniston Watchman thinks that the next boy who tries to kiss his girl in the tunnel, had better be sure that the tunnel is long enough. Well, Brother Watchman, it is questionable with us whether the boy can find such a tunnel or not. If you want the boy to get enough kissing while passing through the tunnel, you had better have one dug through the earth and a turntable constructed just before going out on the other side. Then, give the boy and girl round-trip tickets and let them have two eight-thousand-mile pulls at each other's lips. Perhaps the boy would have enough.—Cross Plains Post.

Several citizens of Anniston who went to Birmingham prospecting, have returned to Anniston content to stay there.

The Watchman has purchased a power press and promises an enlarged and improved daily soon.

A negro boy found a hermit crab in Anniston a few days ago.

The "Watchman" says Calhoun county has quite a number of six gallon cows.

J. N. Dobbins, liveryman, of Anniston has bought a \$1000 carriage for his stable.

Rev. M. Claggett was somewhat disappointed at the small number of converts as the result of the recent protracted meeting in Anniston.

Enormous catfish are being brought from the river to Oxford and Anniston.

Mr. Schmidt, of the firm of Pollock & Co., Montgomery, is going to spend the summer with his family at the Anniston Inn.

Albert Hannah, of Oxanna, who has been quite sick, is now convalescent.

The Anniston Watchman wants a good, competent and industrious printer, to take charge of that office. Wages moderate until his services are tested.

Mr. Frank Gardner, of Oxford, says the Watchman shot into a pack of dogs, a few nights ago, that had attacked one of his hogs, and killed his own favorite dog.

The Hot Blast gives the following account of the game of base ball played between the Jacksonville and Anniston nines, last Friday:

"A game of baseball was played yesterday afternoon between the 'Anniston Reds' and the 'Sly Coons' of Jacksonville. The game was a very interesting one, and was witnessed by a large crowd of eager spectators.

In the first inning the score stood 'Sly Coons' 1, 'Anniston Reds' 2. Emmet Ledbetter held all the balls that came to him.

Jumbo Charlie is still on the first base and you can't remove him.

A pretty play was made by Libby of the Reds who caught a fly and put it to the second thus making two outs.

In trying to catch a ball Libby turned a somersault backwards.

Geo. Cater was the umpire of the game and gave perfect satisfaction.

The scorers were Messrs. Frank Hight and Will Brandon.

Frank Crawford makes a good catcher.

The Jacksonville battery were, Montgomery, pitcher; Crawford, catcher; Anniston Reds, Crews, pitcher and Hockins, catcher.

The players of the teams were, for the 'Sly Coons,' Messrs. Caldwell, 3b, Montgomery, p, Davis, ss, Arnold, cf, Woods, lf, Crawford, c, Brady, 1b, Morgan, rf, Rowland, 2b.

The Anniston Reds played, Bell, r, Hockins, c, Crews, p, Hawthorne, 2b, King, lf, T. Ledbetter, ss, E. Ledbetter, 1b, Libby, 3b, Holstead, cf.

SCORES BY INNINGS.

Sly Coons—1 0 0 3 0 1 2 2—10.

Anniston Reds—2 2 1 0 0 1 1 0—7.

It will be observed the Jacksonville 'Sly Coons' beat the Anniston Reds. It is said the Annistonians bet quite freely on the Reds and that the backers of the Jacksonville 'Sly Coons' walked off with a pretty purse of money.

Another match game will be played by these nines, in Jacksonville, during the closing exercises of the State Normal School here.

The Hot Blast furnishes us this bit of romance:

Thursday a runaway couple stopped at the Parker House. It seems that it was the same old story where two loving hearts would not consent to be separated, and they took the near cut to matrimony. The parties were Mr. W. G. Powell and Miss Eva Harrison of Selden, Ala. They went to Eden and procuring the service of Mr. Lacy a justice of the Peace were soon made one. After the marriage the bride's grandfather Col. J. W. Harrison sent word to return and they would be forgiven, and they will as soon as they make a short visit to Mr. Powell's father in Georgia.

Here is a specimen of female enterprise from the same source. It is to be regretted the paper did not give the name of the excellent young lady:

Calhoun county can boast of a young lady of rare excellence and refinement, who this year undertaken the management of her father's farm. She has the finest crop in the county, free from grass and in splendid order. Everything is systematized, and the work goes on smoothly and is directed with good judgment. She rides over the farm every afternoon, and gives orders to the laborers for the following day's work.

The Hot Blast denounces Hall's Circus which lately was in Anniston as a humbug. We thought it a small affair when we noticed it did not advertise its coming in the newspapers.

Capt. Lucas who has had charge of the car works left yesterday for Atlanta, where he will reside. Mr. Barzon the asst. supt., and his family accompanied Capt. Lucas.

Hot Blast.

Prof. Titcomb continues quite sick. He is boarding with Mr. Jarvis.—Hot Blast.

COOSA VALLEY DISTRICT.

News from Surrounding Counties.

ETOWAH COUNTY.

Mattie Lee Price has been electrifying the good people of Gadsden. They are divided as to whether she is a humbug or not.

Gadsden sent a delegation to the Commercial Convention large enough for a city of twenty thousand inhabitants.

Obe Christopher of Attalla recently had his foot cut with a foot adze. Obe was a gallant soldier of the Tenth Alabama.

Capt. Lay, of Gadsden has gone to Florida to build a low water freight boat.

Tate Poe and Geo. Windham of Gadsden recently "skipped" that town. The Times says no one regrets their departure.

Mr. Moor Milburn and Miss Laura Miller married in Gadsden the 25th ult.

Mr. R. T. Atwood and Miss J. S. Crump, of Etowah county, were married the 17th ult.

The team attached to Wyly Weaver's buggy ran away lately and smashed the buggy and slightly injured his wife and child.

Fifteen wounded Confederate soldiers have applied in Etowah county for their share of the \$25,000 appropriated for the relief of maimed soldiers.

Miss Carrie Turrentine of Gadsden is raising silk worms this season. She feeds them on mulberry leaves.

Present indications point to a big crop, and it will ease money matters, restore confidence and cause all to rejoice.—Gadsden News.

Attalla has six physicians.

It is said cotton is dying near Leesburg.

Mr. Peter Penn and Miss Melissa Sheppard were married near Attalla the 16th ult.

Two people of Gadsden have refused to rent store rooms to be used as saloons.

TALLADEGA COUNTY.

Miss O. E. Goodridge, of Saratoga Springs, N. Y., one of the teachers of Talladega College, died a few days ago.

John Marcus, of Talladega shot a mad dog on the streets some days ago.

Talladega wants Rev. Sam Jones to preach there.

Arthur Shouse, little son of Mr. F. M. Shouse, broke his arm a few days ago.

The Talladega Mountain Home was afflicted last week with two pieces of home-made, original poe—try.

Mrs. Elizabeth Taylor, died in Talladega recently at the advanced age of 85 years.

Talladega had another fire the 29th ult. It originated in Kilpatrick's store on the public square and would have proven very disastrous but for the wet condition of the building.

ST. CLAIR COUNTY.

The Asheville Aegis says the Narrow Gauge E. & W. R. R. has done much for St. Clair county.

Wheat in some parts of this county has greatly improved and in some places is said to be very fine. Oats are improving. Corn and cotton are also hopping high.—Asheville Aegis.

The editor of the Aegis says it would be an agreeable surprise to him if some subscriber should pay him for the paper.

A. T. Edmondson, of Asheville, has purchased the Kittrell house in Gadsden.

John R. Dooley, of Steel's Depot, lost his house by fire on the night of the 18th ult. He saved all his household goods.

CLATSOP COUNTY.

The circus missed Helin, owing to some attachments run upon the concern in Harrison county, Ga., and people who went to town to see it were much disappointed. The Standard thinks they are better off by it.

Health of the community about Arbacochee is good and farmers are well up with their work.

An out house on the premises of Mr. Hurst in Edwardsville took

fire a few nights ago and but for the prompt assistance of neighbors his dwelling house would have been burned.

Some of the good people of Edwardsville have been planting kale this season for cabbage plants. The mistake is very natural.

The people of Edwardsville have neglected to furnish brother Yarbrough with a good square meal of turkey and other good things this week. This thing must not happen any more brethren.

The crops about Leota are in fine condition and the people are in good spirits.

Mr. Coghren, of Cleburne, recently found a bee tree and got "oodlins" of honey.

Mr. B. C. Greer, of Helin, has recovered from a spell of sickness.

Mrs. Malinda Grubbs, died near Oak Level, the 26th ult., aged 66 years.

Crops are looking well about Abernathy and things are moving on very smoothly.

CHEROKEE COUNTY.

A small smash up occurred at the new planing mill in Centre recently.

Rev. S. L. Russell is in Arkansas attending the General Assembly of the Presbyterian church.

The Round Mountain correspondent of the Cherokee Advertiser learns that some lawless men on Lookout Mountain have notified Mr. Jackson, a law abiding man, to leave the county.

A little son of A. J. Fox of Cherokee had an arm dislocated a few days ago.

The Masonic fraternity of Centre will celebrate the 24th of June.

James M. Reed, of Cherokee, aged 24, died the 25th ult.

What Is to Be Done for Me.

I have suffered a long time with cancer and skin eruption. The best physicians tested their skill, but said they could do nothing more for me. I have taken less than a half dozen bottles of Swift's Specific, and to my surprise as well as to the wonder of all my friends, my face has peeled off, the skin is smooth and clear, my eyes almost well, and the cancer on my neck is drying up. I have gained five pounds in flesh during the last month, and am now in better health than I have been in eleven years. A terrible load has been lifted off of me.

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I the fall of 1884 I was taken with a case of malaria fever which prostrated me both body and mind. I was dragged after the old fashion with mercury and other mineral mixtures, but with no good results. My health was shattered and my energy gone. My legs and feet would swell, and I had what everybody thought was dropsy. These symptoms alarmed me, and I was ready to grasp at any remedy suggested. A friend advised me to try Swift's Specific. I procured three bottles and commenced its use. The swelling soon subsided. I have taken the three bottles, which have made a perfect cure, and I feel like a new man to-day. There never was a more meritorious medicine offered to suffering humanity. It has wrought wonders for me.

WILLIS JONES.

Leesburgs, Lee county Ga. Mar. 11, 1885.

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mailed free.

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Incidental developments make

Count Vassal, the London Italian who has been writing green room gossip about some of the foremost folks in Great Britain, not quite so insignificant a scandal peddler as he at first appeared. On account of the lightness of a sentence passed upon a woman convicted of keeping disorderly houses in London the Pall Mall Gazette threatens to make public the names of a number of illustrious frequenters of the disreputable establishments. The woman herself had signified her intention of making a full confession of the names of her patrons, and had got as far as the king of the Belgians, when she was summarily hushed.

Mr. Snider, of New York, a disabled veteran, has renounced his pension of \$1,000 per annum on the ground that the government had paid him enough.

STATE NEWS.

President Davis is much improved though feeble.

The governor has appointed today R. J. York, of Cullman county, as sheriff of said county, vice Capt. Mims, deceased.

Senators Call, Ransome, Vance, and Cockrell have joined Senator Eustis, for his criticisms of the President.

The music festival at Birmingham last week was a financial failure.

The 12th anniversary of the Cullman colony was celebrated last Monday.

HEXTERVILLE, May 29.—There was a severe hail storm here this evening lasting about twenty minutes. Corn in the country around here is considerably damaged and cotton slightly damaged. It has been raining incessantly for over ten days and it still continues.—Birmingham Age.

SELMA, May 29.—Mr. Jos. L. Perkins of the firm of Geo. O. Baker & Co., died at his home in this city last night. He was at one time mayor of Selma and has always occupied a high position in business circles. The funeral rites were read at 5 o'clock this afternoon.—Birmingham Age.

The Edwardsville Standard in a very timely defense of President Cleveland, against impatient politicians and office-seekers, remarks: "Give the man time and do not be too hasty about it when he is doing the best he can. Good, for the Standard."

The Alabama river is booming and there are serious fears of a freshet. The water almost reaches the top of the banks at many points, and opposite the city the rise of a few more feet will flood the bend. Heavy rains continue to fall, and crops on lowlands are beginning to suffer.—Montgomery Advertiser.

The Railroad Commission on yesterday completed the inspection of the Kufaula & Clayton and the Montgomery & Eufaula railroads, and the Associate Commissioners returned to the city. The Commission will probably go to Selma to-morrow.—Montgomery Advertiser.

The fund raised by the surviving members of the Third Alabama Regiment to buy a wedding present for Stonewall's daughter Julia, has been used by the committee in the purchase of spoons, half dozen large spoons, half dozen forks and a dozen teaspoons. Each article is engraved with the initials of the young lady, "J. T. J." The present is enclosed in a beautiful satin lined box, and on the outside of the case is placed a shield of silver bearing the inscription: "Julia T. Jackson, from the Surviving Members of the Third Alabama, A. N. V."

The Mobile Rifles were also invited to the wedding and sent a present consisting of a dozen hand-painted fruit dishes, Limoges manufacture, neatly enclosed in a large satin-lined case. A ribbon of green and gold was placed across the inside of the lid of the case, bearing the name of the company and to whom the present is made.

Both presents have been forwarded to Mrs. Jackson, accompanied by appropriate notes of thanks for the invitations to the wedding and of good wishes for the fair bride.

Troy Messenger: One of our citizens, who keeps posted on local affairs, informs us that one street in Troy can boast of only ten twin babies. What town in the whole country can beat this record?

The lightning on Thursday burned the papers that hung on the walls of Lauderdale Station on the E. T. V. & G. road. On Friday the same element burned all the paper on the wall in a station at Meridian.

Ben Thomas, colored, killed Ned Dandridge, colored, on Mr. John Underwood's place near the city yesterday afternoon. The killing was accomplished by a blow on the head with a common weeding hoe. Dandridge falling like a shot bee in his tracks and expiring almost immediately. Dandridge, the man killed, was the uncle of Thomas, the murderer, and the cause of the row which led to the killing is not reliably known.

It appears that some colored men who witnessed the murder of dead, crested Thomas and he was brought to town and lodged in jail.—Montgomery Advertiser.

Leslie Dean, a young man hailing from Huntsville, was arrested in the city Saturday by Deputy Sheriff Bailey on the charge of larceny from a person. The robbery was committed about a week since, and learning that Dean had come to the city, the Huntsville officials at once procured a requisition. Deputy Sheriff Faigum arrived in the city last night, and conveyed the prisoner to Huntsville. It is said that Dean is a notorious counterfeiter, and is wanted on several charges.—Chattanooga Times.

BIRMINGHAM, May 31.—Ralph Clark, for a long time connected with the Jesse James' gang of outlaws, was convicted here yesterday and sentenced for life to confinement and hard labor in the penitentiary, for the assassination of John Allen. The murder occurred here last November.

Another remedy for hog cholera has been furnished the Troy Enquirer and been successfully tried in several instances and is highly commended, viz: Take one peck of charcoal, one pound of dry May apple root and one half pound of poke root. Mix well and mix with food for forty hogs, but only one dose each day.

While examining the Alabama Exhibit at the World's Exposition, New Orleans, last week, we were agreeably surprised to see that the finest iron ore there was labeled "From Blount County." Cullman county has a fine exhibit of fruits, grains, grasses, wines, &c., that is very creditable to the old and new settlers of that progressive colony.

Collector Booker's Deputies.

The City Editor of the Times was given the following of field deputies under Mr. Edward W. Booker, the Collector of Internal Revenue, by the gentleman himself: A. E. Calfee, Lowndes county; L. W. Turpin, Hale county; Robt. Evans, Perry county; S. A. Fowkes, Wilcox county; W. N. Knight, Hale county; W. L. Pitts, Perry county; M. L. Woods, Dallas county; Berrell Boykin, gauger, at Mobile.

Captain Booker expects to assume the duties of his office on June 1st. The reason that he has not taken hold before was on account of some verbal discrepancies in his bond.—Selma Times.

A DOUBTING THOMAS

Who Seems to Distrust the Chances for New Iron Investments.

Birmingham Age.

Mr. Samuel Thomas and the Pennsylvania iron men with him left last night by the A. G. S. road for home. To an age man who, just as he was getting ready to leave, asked him if he had any thing to say for the satisfaction of newspaper readers. Mr. Thomas said:

"No, we've nothing to say; we've nothing at all to say, except you're having mighty mean weather here now. We haven't come to any decision yet but there isn't much encouragement to build any iron furnace here or any where else now."

He went on to explain that, in his opinion with the present dullness of the market, the competition everywhere in every iron industry was enough to dispel all hope of profit for further investment.

A Cure for Nervous Headache.

The Physicians' and Surgeons' Inspector says a solution of the bisulphate of carbon is a specific for certain kinds of headache, particularly those of a nervous nature.

A wide-mouthed, glass-stopped bottle is half filled with cotton or a fine sponge, and upon this two or three drams of the solution are poured. When occasion for its use occurs the mouth of the bottle is to be applied to the temple, or as near as possible to the seat of the pain, so closely that none of the volatile vapor may escape, and retained there for four or five minutes or longer. For a minute or so nothing is felt, then comes a sense of tingling, which in a few minutes—three or four usually—becomes rather severe, but which subsides almost immediately if the bottle be removed, and any redness of the skin that may occur will also quickly subside. It may be reapplied, if necessary, several times in the day, and it generally acts like magic, giving immediate relief.

The Republican.

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Chambers county is to have soon an election for prohibition or no prohibition. The county press support the prohibition side of the question.

The Trustees of the Peabody fund have provided two medals to be awarded to the two most proficient pupils of the State Normal School here, at the closing exercises of the same.

Mr. Chas. M. Hays, formerly connected with the Athens and Nashville press, has bought an interest in the Birmingham Age and become business manager of that progressive paper.

The Selma Times speaks of Anniston and her "reputed" Inn. This is sufficient to throw the average Annistonian into a conniption fit.

A fearful earthquake occurred Sunday last in the vale of Cashiers, in India, resulting in great loss of life and destruction of property.

An eight year old negro boy in Montgomery county got tired of nursing a negro baby and, to get rid of it, hacked it horribly with a case knife and then drowned it.

Miss Julia Jackson, daughter of the immortal Stonewall Jackson, was married June 2nd, in Richmond, to Mr. Wm. E. Christian of that city. The Third Alabama (Confederate) Regiment and Mobile Rifles sent the bride very handsome wedding presents on the day of her marriage.

Important Newspaper Change.

The Selma Times has been sold by Mr. Frank P. Glass to a stock company composed of many of the solid business men of Selma. Maj. Frank Boykin, Jr., one of the stockholders, will assume charge and management of the paper as editor in chief.

The Governor has ordered the Third Alabama Regiment of State troops into encampment at Montgomery for one week in this month some two weeks hence. Among the companies ordered out and belonging to this Regiment is the John Pelham Rifles, of this place. This company lost all their arms by a fire which burned their armory some two years ago, and have disbanded, or rather the organization has not been kept up since then.

The Montgomery Advertiser has been enlarged to an eight page paper and is now a credit to its enterprising proprietor and the pushing and growing city in which it is located. The business men of Montgomery will doubtless appreciate this stroke of enterprise on the part of Mr. Screws and reward him with a more liberal advertising patronage than ever before given. A town or city is judged more by its newspaper press than anything else, and this improvement of its leading paper is the best advertisement that Montgomery has yet had.

The Hot Blast, in its report of the game of base ball between the Jacksonville and Anniston teams, makes the number of innings 10 for the Jacksonville Sly Coons to 7 for the Anniston Reds, when in fact the score was 10 to 6. The Anniston correspondent of the Birmingham Age reports the game right. The Anniston Reds will try the Sly Coons again soon at this place. They will have a nice time when they come, but they can scarcely hope to win the game. The Sly Coons can simply lay it over anything in this country. They think of going to Birmingham and tackling the base ballists of that city. If they do they will carry the full strength of their team, which they did not have at Anniston.

The following was sent to us with request to publish:

The commencement exercises of the Tuskegee State Normal school (colored) occurred on last Thursday the 28th ult. The number of visitors was very large. Among many other distinguished visitors were the State Superintendent of Education, Hon. S. Palmer, and many other distinguished whites and prominent colored people from various parts of the State.

A class of ten young men and women from various counties in the State graduated and received diplomas. Much prominence was given to the industrial work. Visitors were shown through the farm, carpenter's shop, printing office, brick yard, paint shop, poultry and stock yard, and girls' laundry and sewing room. In all these departments creditable exhibits of students' labor were made.

Over two hundred students have attended the Normal department this term. Speeches were made by the members of the graduating class. Prof. J. C. Price, of Salisbury, N. C., and Hon. S. Palmer, presented the diplomas.

Richard S. Scott the long trusted paying teller of the old Manhattan bank of New York, disappeared the 3rd inst. with one million five hundred and seventy-five thousand dollars of the bank's money. He left only nine hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars in the bank. The Manhattan is next oldest bank in the city, having been chartered in the year 1789.

Some of the Indian Tribes in the West have left their reservations and have been murdering white settlers at a fearful rate for two weeks. The U. S. Military are after them, but so far have not succeeded in capturing them. The accounts of their atrocities are fearful to read about. The red devils torture and kill men, women and children indiscriminately. When captured they should be shot without mercy. It is mistaken humanity to deal otherwise with these savage and murderous rascals.

R. M. Reynolds, late First Auditor of the U. S. Treasury, fell through the air shaft of the Southern hotel at St. Louis, June 2nd, and was instantly killed. It is thought by some that he committed suicide but his friends say he was subject to vertigo and doubtless fell through the shaft while suffering from an attack of that. He was requested to resign his position in the Treasury and had been out of office about two weeks. He was in quite comfortable circumstances and was on his way to Kansas to buy land when he was killed. He will be remembered as Auditor of Alabama during the days of carpet-bag rule, and was one of the few men who came into the State and held office then who was regarded as an honest man and a gentleman. During his long term of office in Alabama nothing damaging to his character was alleged against him, even during that bitter season of partisan hate.

NOTES OF OUR NEIGHBORS.

Miss Bonnie Griswell, of Anniston, was married to Mr. John King, of Selma, Sunday last, by Rev. E. T. Smythe.

Mattie Lee Price exhibited at Anniston last Monday night.

A tunnel on Noble street in Anniston caved in on Mr. A. J. Colley a few days ago and came near killing him.

Riddle & Co., of Anniston will do a general banking business in addition to their present business as wholesale grocery merchants.

Mr. J. H. Murphy, night watchman on the E. T. Va. & Ga. R. R., at Anniston accidentally shot himself Sunday last. He is seriously though not fatally wounded.

The Anniston correspondent of the Birmingham Age furnishes the following Anniston items to the Age:

Mr. C. E. Atkins, a large iron man of Pottsville, Penn., is in town, and acknowledges the advantages Anniston possesses over Pennsylvania. He is thinking of removing his interests here.

Mr. Ray Knight on his visit here was looking out for a position for a union passenger depot. The good people of our city wish for it; they long for it; they need it; and I expect they will cry for it before they get it.

Lumber and material for an artesian well have been received and work will commence at once. The contract has been given to Col. Baum. Our people see the necessity for plenty of water and are determined to have it.

An interesting game of ball was played here yesterday, between the Jacksonville Sly Coons and the Anniston Reds, which resulted in a victory for the Sly Coons of 10 to 6.

BEATING A WITCH.

Paritainment Among the Etowah Darkies.

GADSDEN, Ala., June 1.—Sarah H. Murphy (colored), residing eight miles from town, on Sunday night was taken from her house, severely beaten and left for dead. Her house and effects were then destroyed by fire.

Sarah is not dead and has identified two of the parties. They turned State's evidence and this afternoon the Hazel brothers and Mr. Bethel Box marched in town with eleven colored prisoners. They were placed in jail. Sarah was regarded as a witch. Great excitement prevails near the scene of the burning.

While the President, the other day, was receiving a cadet corps from a school in a neighboring state, a freckle faced woman who managed to get into the White House with the crowd, walked up and shook hands with Mr. Cleveland. She looked him in the eye and said: "Mr. Cleveland, do you ever expect to get married?" The President blushed, smiled and the visitors who heard the remark had a good laugh.

Cases Disposed of at Adjourned Term.

Whisenand & Driskill vs. Blake-man, Jenkins & Co., Defendants, E. L. Woodward et al. Garnishees. Case dismissed by Plaintiffs.

J. R. Graham vs. J. A. Simpson. Defendant, B. P. Simpson. Claimant. Jury and verdict for Claimant.

E. T. Read vs. East & West Railroad Co. Jury and verdict for Plaintiff.

Dean, Whaley & Co., vs. Ledbetter & Co. Jury and verdict for Plaintiff.

James M. Sheid vs. Jno. Walker. Jury and verdict for Plaintiff.

D. P. Ginnels vs. J. M. Loggins. Verdict for Plaintiff.

J. W. Clardy vs. E. W. Teague. Plaintiff takes a nonsuit.

E. M. Gray & M. T. L. Christian vs. Jno. R. Graham. Judgment vs. Defendant.

Richard Bell vs. L. S. Wilson & Redden Wyly Defendants. D. F. Constantine (Garnishee). Jury and verdict for Plaintiff vs. Wilson. Redden Wyly released and continued as to Garnishee.

W. F. Kennedy vs. Jno. D. Pratt. Certiorari dismissed at Defendants cost and writ of Proceedendo awarded.

J. J. Wilson vs. East & West Railroad Co. Jury and verdict for Defendant.

H. Herzberg vs. A. J. Douthitt. Plaintiff dismisses his suit and Defendant assumes the cost.

Linder & Montgomery vs. James H. Huckabee. Jury and verdict for Plaintiff.

T. W. Francis vs. J. P. Burns et al. Suit compromised.

Natt Cobb vs. James Bell. Jury and verdict for Defendant.

W. W. Whiteside, Administrator vs. M. C. Correll. Suit remanded to Probate court.

C. J. Cooper vs. O. S. Crook. W. P. Crook. Continued with leave to revive vs. Administrator of W. P. Crook.

E. D. McClelen vs. O. S. Crook. W. P. Crook. Continued with leave to revive vs. Administrator of W. P. Crook.

Peter Cafferty vs. Jno. C. Copeland. Continued.

S. O. Striplin & Co., vs. Jno. Watson Defendant, E. Haywood claimant. Jury and verdict for claimant.

Lon Lumpkin vs. A. B. Ledbetter, A. O. Stewart. Continued.

Selena Cannon vs. J. B. Farmer. Jury and verdict for Plaintiff.

MOTION DOCKET.

Woodstock Iron Co. vs. Daniel Monahan. Motion overruled.

T. Phillips & Co., vs. The Western Union Telegraph Co. By order of court motion withdrawn with out prejudice and Plaintiff taxed with cost of motion.

F. Woodruff vs. F. A. Dodgen. Motion overruled.

Russell & Co. vs. James H. Savage. Jno. C. Graham. Motion withdrawn by movant.

Jno. Y. Henderson vs. J. B. Farmer and securities on his official bond. Judgment for Plaintiff.

E. & W. Railroad Co. vs. E. T. Read. Motion to retax cost. Motion granted.

D. C. Savage vs. S. M. Frye, Defendant. Woodstock Iron Co. vs. Garnishee—continued.

H. Snow vs. S. C. Kelly. Motion continued.

Letter From Texas.

GROESBECK, LIMESTONE CO. TEX. May 26, 1885.

ED. REPUBLICAN:—As I am one of your old Calhoun boys way out here in Texas, I will try to give you a few items of the country. Limestone county is one of the best farming counties in the State, and also stock raising. Some are laying their corn by and cotton in squares; gardens are fine. I like the country very well. Water is not so good as in Calhoun county, water mostly caught in tanks. These tanks are made in big branches and creeks dammed up. The tank water is clear and cold. Society is good as in Alabama. Have seen the centipede, tarantula and prairie wolf. The red ant is a curiosity; they are all over the country and build in mounds. The country is full of pastures and farms. There is one man that has got 10,000 acres of pasture land under one fence. I got into his pasture last Sunday and came very near not finding the gate. Grass is very fine now. The timber is almost the same here as in Alabama, only not as large. In most of the State that I have been. There is no chinquapin, chestnut or pine in this county. There is plenty of pine in eastern part of the State. Now, a description of the soil: There is black post oak and black jack hills, black loam. Mesquite land is the best for farming and land is sandy prairie land. The fruit crop is fine here, and it rains plenty.

W. J.

Mr. T. J. Nichols has been appointed General Manager of the East & West railroad vice John Postell resigned. Mr. Nichols was Superintendent of the Dakota, Denison, Chicago & Northwestern.

—Montgomery Advertiser.

The Odds Against the Confederates.

Lansdale (Pa.) Democrat, 19th.

Brother Beaver is an honest, outspoken veteran of the late war, made a good soldier, and we've no doubt, means all he says; "but the war is over."

Brother Beaver should remember that the persons who engaged in that struggle residing in the South, were all Americans, to the manner born, and represented in that sense a very large minority of the Americans of the country. The United States had for allies 176,000 Germans, 158,000 Irish, 55,000 British Provincials, 22,500 nation, 45,000 English, 22,500 nation, 45,000 unknown, and 200,000 colored troops; gross 666,500. This is from Stanton's official figures; a number equal to every available fighting man that the South threw into the army. Had the South not had her people divided in Kentucky, Missouri, Tennessee, Virginia and West Virginia, with all the odds, Brother Beaver, we might have been fighting yet. A foe with such a record for gallantry is entitled to consults or anything else.

What Hendricks Would Do.

If Mr. Hendricks were president there would not be any occasion for affidavits to prove that some republican office-holders are offensive partisans. His remarks indicate that the holding of an office that could be just as well filled by a democrat would be proof enough of offensive partisanship.—Savannah News.

A young man, John B. Harrell, of Georgetown, S. C., was bitten on the hand and arm, by a dog last February. The wound healed rapidly and nothing was thought of it, until last week he complained of a pain in his shoulder, and said to his family: "I am taking hydrophobia, and it will kill me. He grew rapidly worse, and died and raving with agony. He was kept partially quiet by heavy doses of morphine.

The Alabama Press Association through its committee appointed for the purpose, on Tuesday last made Capt. J. F. Whitfield, of the L & N road, a present of a handsome silver water service as a slight testimonial of the appreciation of the members for the courtesy and kindness extended the Association by the Capt. on their excursion to New Orleans in April.

It is saying a good deal, but there is hardly anything even in "Gall's" affections of discrimination equal to the St. Louis Republican's designation of Rev. Sam Jones: "A man who challenges our admiring wonder as a combination of Sidney Smith, Francis Bacon, Sancho Panza and Jack Brilings with a strong leaven of the Major Jones, of Georgia, who was so well known before the war."

Mayor Stevenson has the new bonds of Jacksonville and they are now ready for delivery.

SPIRIT OF THE STATE PRESS.

The Entaw Mirror thinks there is too much being said about the employment of Sheffield in the office of the State Superintendent of Education. The Mirror has never been accused of being a stickler for party lines. In fact, considering its attitude on this subject it is not likely to be sought after by democrats as an adviser in any matter of party policy.—Fort Payne Journal.

Our friend Sol. Palmer is being criticised for appointing Col. Sheffield to a Clerkship in his department at Montgomery. Some affirm that the Col. has always been a true Democrat, and others say, nay; that he tried, time and again to betray his party, but could not make the trip. There are so-called democrats who vote against the nominees of the party, who urge men to run against the nominees of the party, before and after the nomination are made, who claim to be "true Democrats," and—around like a trooper in "the army of Flanders," if any one questions their loyalty. These men, or their parasites, are sometimes rewarded with appointments. On the same principle, a bad boy often gets most of the goodies in the pantry, to keep him from kicking and squalling and taking "the sulks." Col. Sheffield may be a very competent clerical officer, but if he has been "a true Democrat," some day he will be "a true Democrat" too.—Tusculum Gazette.

The correspondents at Washington continue to complain that at some of the Departments news is hard to get. In one department they say the head himself is in the scheme to keep the news from the public. This must be Vilas, who may prefer confidential letters to the newspapers as a channel of communication. —Montgomery Advertiser.

A Great Discovery.

Mr. Wm. Thomas, of Newton, Ia., says: "My wife has been seriously affected with a cough for twenty-five years, and this spring more severely than ever before. She has used many remedies without relief, and I was obliged to try Dr. King's New Discovery, and with most gratifying results. The first bottle relieved her very much, and the second bottle has absolutely cured her. She has not had so good health for thirty years."

Trial Bottle Free at Wm. M. Nisbet's Drug Store. Large size \$1.00.—No. 6.

What China Offered Mosby.

"I was offered by Li Hung Chang, the Bismarck of China, the command of the Chinese army," writes Consul John F. Mosby from Hong Kong to a friend in Alexandria. "With the liberty of employing as officers 300 ex-confederates. I declined, but have kept it a profound secret until peace was made with France. I could not be a Dugald Dalgetty—a mere mercenary soldier of fortune. I could not fight for money or from anything less than patriotic motives. If it had been made public during the contest that China had made this offer to me, it would have disgraced her, and been a confession of weakness. As they have paid me this high compliment, which I could not accept, I would not do anything to injure them. There was certainly 'millions in it,' I might have played the part of Townerland or Gengis Khan, or founded a greater empire than that of the Moguls."

Valentine Schuetz, of Louisville, Ky., a musician, went home the other evening and found his wife in company with John Webb, to whom she was married ten years ago, who was supposed to be dead. Schuetz proposed to submit it to the courts to decide which of the two is husband to Mrs. Webb-Schuetz. She finds herself too much married.

The work of the redskins in New Mexico sends a thrill of horror through the country. Yet sixty years ago the same deeds of horror were done all through the fair land that now works busily and peacefully under the aegis of Alabama's laws. And less than two hundred years ago the white Governor of Mobile had a prisoner put in a box and the box sawed in two. —Montgomery Advertiser.

A shot-gun duel recently occurred near Rolling Fork, Sharkey county, Miss., on the N. O. & T. R. Railroad, between W. K. McLaughlin and S. F. Shelton, in which the latter was instantly killed. They had no seconds. They were opposing candidates for Chancery Clerk, two years ago, and have nursed their wrath until now.

Never Give Up.

If you are suffering with low and depressed spirits, loss of appetite, general debility, disordered blood, weak constitution, headache, or any disease of a bilious nature, by all means procure a bottle of Electric Bitters. You will be surprised to see the rapid improvement that will follow; you will be inspired with new life; strength and activity will return; pain and misery will cease, and henceforth you will rejoice in the praise of Electric Bitters. Sold at fifty cents a bottle by Wm. M. Nisbet.—No. 6.

Not a Single Gray Hair.

"You may laugh and think me a vain thing," writes Mrs. J. R. C. of San Francisco, to a friend in this city, "but I have not a gray hair in my head, and yet I am fifty and a day. Recently my hair was not only gray but quite thin. Parker's Hair Balm—made in New York, I think—did wonders for me. Try it if you have occasion. It really does what I say, and restores the color also." Not a dye, not greasy, highly perfumed. Only reliable hair dressing.—June 1st.

A Important Discovery.

The most important Discovery is that which brings the most good to the greatest number. Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs, and Colds, will preserve the health and save life, and is a priceless boon to the afflicted. Not only does it positively cure Consumption, but Coughs, Colds, Bronchitis, Asthma, Hoarseness, and all affections of the Throat, Chest, and Lungs, yield at once to its wonderful curative powers. If you doubt this, get a Trial Bottle Free, at Wm. M. Nisbet Drug store. No. 5.

Geo. Andrews, of Lowell, although salt rheum ulcers covered half his body was cured by Ayer's Sarsaparilla.

An End to Bone Scraping.

Edward Shepherd of Harrisburg, Ill., says: "Having received so much benefit from Electric Bitters, I feel it my duty to let suffering humanity know it. I have had a running sore on my leg for eight years; my doctors told me I would have to have the bone scraped or leg amputated. I used instead, three bottles of Electric Bitters, and seven boxes Backlen's Arnica Salve, and my leg is now sound and well."

Electric Bitters are sold at fifty cents a bottle, and Backlen's Arnica Salve at 25c. per box by Wm. M. Nisbet.

Notice To Bondholders.

Pursuant to an act of the General Assembly of Alabama, entitled an Act to authorize the town of Jacksonville to borrow money by the issuance of new bonds for the purpose of compensating and paying the outstanding bonds of said town issued for the purpose of contracting water works for said town, approved Feb. 14, 1883, notice is hereby given to holders of now outstanding bonds of the town of Jacksonville to present the same at the Mayor's office in said town for the new bonds issued by the town of Jacksonville, Alabama, entitled an Act to authorize the town of Jacksonville to borrow money by the issuance of new bonds for the purpose of compensating and paying the outstanding bonds of said town issued for the purpose of contracting water works for said town, approved Feb. 14, 1883, notice is hereby given to holders of now outstanding bonds of the town of Jacksonville to present the same at the Mayor's office in said town for the new bonds issued by the town of Jacksonville, Alabama, 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PERSONAL.

Mr. G. W. Foster, a prominent attorney of Anniston, attended court here this week and gave the REPUBLICAN office a brief call Tuesday.

Mr. Shackelford, a prominent attorney of Cleburne county was in Jacksonville Monday attending court.

Mr. W. H. Dean, who has been on a ten days visit to Marengo county and Mobile, returned Friday last.

Miss Willie Borden, of Borden's Springs, has been Jacksonville this week visiting friends.

Mr. Frank Davis, drew the cake at the Sunday school festival Tuesday night and presented it to a young lady.

Mayor Stevenson visited Anniston on business Wednesday.

Mr. Will Hammond returned Thursday morning from a protracted tour through Florida.

Mr. S. Lanford, one of the progressive farmers of Alexandria valley called on us Thursday. He is giving the subject of stock raising some attention and already has from twenty to thirty acres in pasture. Sensible man.

Rev. J. F. T. Brandon, of Anniston, was in Jacksonville Thursday and paid the REPUBLICAN office a pleasant call.

Dr. B. S. Evans and Mr. Clark Morgan, two of the substantial men of Choctawhatchee valley, were in town Thursday and spent an hour in the REPUBLICAN office.

Mr. Henry Wyle, of Montgomery, is visiting friends in Jacksonville.

The latest novelties of Silk Scarfs striped Plaid and Tinselled for Hat trimmings just received at Ullman Bros., Anniston.

The children of the Methodist Sunday school at this place made quite a success financially and otherwise of their festival Tuesday night. The rooms and grounds of the cottage selected for the festival were handsomely illuminated with Chinese lanterns, the tables were spread with delicacies and presided over by most charming little Misses. The children enjoyed themselves immensely and everything went off well. The egg breaking was a novel feature and was witnessed by the children with a great deal of interest. On breaking all the eggs it was found that they contained sixteen dollars and eighty-five cents. This, together with the amount taken in at the gate and for ice cream and lemonade made a total receipt for the evening of sixty-three dollars and twenty-five cents.

Little Miss Katie Hammond took the first Miss Mattie Sellers the second and Miss John Forney the third prize for the largest amounts contained in the eggs presented by them at the breaking.

Mr. Jas. J. Skelton had offered a prize of a handsome waiter to the young lady who should take in the most money at a lunch table. Miss Fannie Crow and Miss Maggie Linder took in equal amounts and drew straws for the prize. Miss Fannie Crow getting it.

The older people at the Festival, of which there were quite a number, seemed to enjoy the evening as much as the younger people, and altogether it was a pleasant social event.

Mens' business and dress suits at \$2.50, \$3.00, \$5.00, \$7.00, \$9.00, and \$10, worth double the money. at Ullman Bros., Anniston.

A Compliment to a Teacher of our State Normal School.

Prof. Chappel, a teacher of the State Normal School at Jacksonville, has been elected a teacher of the Normal School of Georgia, which holds its session at Atlanta during the summer vacation, for the training of teachers now engaged in the public schools of that State. In looking for a corps of teachers for teachers, of course the Directors of the Georgia State Normal School sought to get the best men in the whole country, North or South, and we take it as quite a compliment to the State Normal School here, as well as to Prof. Chappel, that the Institution here has been thus drawn upon.

A subscriber hands us the following: How happy are they who the Editors pay, And have squared up for one year or more, Tongue cannot express the great joy of the press When delinquents have paid the old score. Printers all the day long labor hard for a song. A fate that is hard, all agree. They have worked night and day and night of course want their pay. To buy sugar and coffee and tea.

One would hardly believe what small sums they receive. For the paper addressed to each name But the price is so small that the good people all Will pay up for the fear of the shame.

Buy your Clothing and Gents' Furnishing Goods of Ullman Bros., the leaders of low prices.

Here is one of Blind Tom's songs composed by himself, which fit to a beautiful accompaniment, and which sings with expression and effect. He sang another equally as nonsensical about the banjo picker while here, but which sounded beautifully to the ear of those who could not distinguish the words:

"I want to see the doctor, Down in the concert hall; He was taking the tickets as the crowd came in, And when the matinee was over far out in the distance was a man who mashed his hands."

The case of J. J. Wilson, Jr., against the East & West Railroad, for injuries said to have been sustained in getting off the train, occupied two days of the court last week. Mr. Wilson claimed damage to the extent of a thousand dollars. The jury returned a verdict in favor of the Railroad.

To those to whom we have sent accounts recently we wish to say that we shall have to collect same through bank if we do not hear from them in a few days. We did not go to the trouble of making out and posting these accounts merely for fun. We need the money in our business this Summer and must have it. Those who have been owing us for a long term of years and to whom we have sent accounts are bound to admit that we have been very patient. We dislike very much to have to dun a patron of the paper, and never do so unless we need money. Send it along friends.

Just received Ladies' Misses and Children's black and solid colored Hose, boys' ribbed hose at Ullman Bros., Anniston.

Mr. A. W. Kirby, an old and respected citizen of this county, died at his home near Oak Grove church, in the western part of the county, a short while ago.

The negro who was blown up with dynamite near Sheeks Springs some time ago when fighting with dynamite shells, which occurrence was noted in the REPUBLICAN at the time, is getting well; but has to be fed, as both hands are off.

The citizens of Duke, in the western part of the county have organized a Sunday school with M. B. Jelks as Superintendent.

One table spoonful of saltwater to a gallon of water effectually destroys cut worms. Apply the solution by pouring a dipper full around each plant to be protected.

Closing Exercises of the State Normal School.

These exercises will begin on Monday June 15th and will occupy five days, closing Friday June 19th. The public oral examinations will be held daily from 8:30 a. m. to 12:30 p. m. The night examinations will begin promptly each evening at 8:30 p. m. All of the exercises will be free, and the patrons and friends of the school and the public generally are cordially invited to attend.

PROGRAMME: MONDAY JUNE 15th. Examination of the several classes of the Primary Department.

TUESDAY JUNE 16th. Examination of Class No. 3 in Arithmetic; Class No. 3 in Geometric Figures; Class No. 2 in Arithmetic; Normal Class in Methods of Teaching; Classes No. 1 and No. 3 in Composition.

WEDNESDAY JUNE 17th. Examination of Class No. 3 in Reading; Normal Class in History; Class No. 1 in Physical Geography.

THURSDAY JUNE 18th. Examination of Normal Class in Methods of Teaching; Class No. 2 in History; Grand Spelling Match by school.

FRIDAY JUNE 19th. Annual Literary Address by Hon. J. W. Sanford, of Opelika, Ala.

Twenty-five thousand dollars is said to have been the price paid by the English publishers for the copyright of General Gordon's diary. It will not fill more than one ordinary volume.

A Bargain Can be had in Buggies. Undertaker's goods, one and two horse wagons, a gin filter and other articles belonging to the late L. A. Weaver, by applying to Mrs. L. A. Weaver or H. L. Stevenson, attorney, at Jacksonville, Ala. m22-63

Try Ayer's Cathartic Pills! They are mild and pleasant in action, but thorough and searching effect.

That taint of scrofula in your blood can be wholly eradicated by Ayer's Sarsaparilla

Cheer Up! Help is at Hand.

"I'm afraid I shall have to be taken to a hospital or to the poorhouse. I've been sick so long that my husband, doctor and patient as he is, can't stand the worry and expense much longer." No, you won't dear wife and mother. See what Parker's Tonic will do for you. Plenty of women as badly off as you are, have been rescued almost from the grave by it. It will build you up, curing all ailments of the stomach, liver and kidneys, and is simple, pleasant and safe. —June 6—lm

Hides and Rags. Jake the Butcher will pay the highest market price in cash for hides and rags. Bring them to him at Jacksonville. m23-1m

JOTTINGS FROM CROSS PLAINS.

BY JOT.

This is a glorious time for farmers to kill grass and get their crops in good fix. I suppose they are doing it about here, for it is very dull in town and there is nothing transpiring worthy of note.

Rev. Mr. Smith—preached at the Episcopal church last Sunday.

Rev. P. H. Brewster occupied the pulpit at the Methodist church last Sunday night.

Capt. John Postell of Cedar town was in the city last Tuesday.

Chas. Simpson of the Birmingham & Co. collector, Rome, was interviewing our merchants last Tuesday.

This is a clever and popular horse. Miss Willie Borden, of Rowell, passed through our town last Monday en route for Jacksonville.

Mrs. Paulina Langston, whose severe illness I mentioned last week, died on the morning of the 25th ult.

Our Sunday School will have their annual picnic next Saturday week.

Our doctors complain that it is, distressingly healthy now. I don't hear of any sickness in this community. Fact is, we have the healthiest town in Alabama.

RABBIT TOWN—Cotton, corn and all rest grassy from recent rains. Some wheat and oats look like making a good crop. We have a good Sabbath school of some fifty scholars, which beats our neighbors South of here.

After Sunday school last Sabbath we had a good sermon from Rev. Mr. Coleman, of Choctawhatchee.

Our roads need work and so do the crops. No one need be a lofer now, who wishes to work.

We need a good school and will soon have one, taught by Mr. Pitman. It is hoped he will do well. Every settlement should have a good school. Success to your valuable paper.

A Railroaders Speaks.

My wife has been a great sufferer from catarrh. Several physicians and various patent medicines were resorted to, yet the disease continued unabated, nothing appearing to make any impression upon it. Her constitution finally became implicated, the poison being in her blood.

I secured a bottle of B. B. B. and placed her upon its use, and to our surprise the improvement began at once, and her recovery was rapid and complete. No other preparation ever produced such a wonderful change, and for all forms of Blood Disease I cheerfully recommend B. B. B. as a superior Blood Purifier.

R. P. DODGE, Yardmaster Georgia Railroad, June 1st, 1885. Atlanta, Ga.

There is a constant warfare being waged between the various species of the animal kingdom. Think of the horribleness of an army of worms stopping the eyelids of life. A dose of Chamber's Indian Vermifuge will destroy them.

NOTICE. I wish to call the attention of the public to the fact, that I am an agent for Buggies, Carriages, and in fact, all kinds of vehicles. If you are wishing to purchase anything in that line, call on me before you purchase, and I think I can make it to your interest to buy from me, as I will give you rock bottom prices.

J. T. WILKINS, PEER'S HILL, ALA. May 2, 1885.

Backen's Arnica Salve.

THE BEST SALVE in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chillsblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by Wm. M. Nisbet, may 2-1y.

Special Notice. Owing to the dullness of trade and enormous large stock of mens', boys and childrens' ready made clothing, we offer them at cost. Remember we manufacture all our goods can therefore sell them cheaper than any other house. Our stock consists of the latest styles and patterns, but lately manufactured. All new. No old stock. Be sure and examine our stock before buying, and you will save money.

ULLMAN BROS., Anniston.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

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It Can't Be HELPED

The people of Jacksonville, and surrounding country, are at last beginning to learn that the best place to buy anything in the way of

Furniture

is at Ullman Bros. Furniture Emporium, Anniston, Ala. His stock is large, consisting in part of

Picture Frames.

Esels, Picture Moulding, Rocking Chairs, from the cheapest imitation to the handsomest Italian; Beds; Bureaus; Washstands of all kinds; Wardrobes, Hat-racks, Side-boards, and anything else you can think of.

Window Shades

and Shade Goods, in endless variety of colors and decorations. Special sizes made to order, at bottom figures.

WALL PAPER.

I have just added to my already full stock a well selected line of fine patterns of wall paper. Have a first-class paper hanger. Now is the time to decorate your houses.

Boot Cleaners

DOOR MATS, CROCKERY, LAMPS, LAMP GOODS, and GLASSWARE.

All grades of Granite and China; anything from a hand Lamp to the brilliant

Electric Lamp.

Give us a call, and be convinced that it is not necessary to send out of the State for goods in our line. My stock of

COFFINS, CASES and SHROUDS

Is still complete.

New Family Grocery.

The undersigned has opened, in the brick store room of Judge Walker on the south side of the public square, a full line of

STAPLE AND Fancy Groceries,

consisting of Bacon, Flour, Bran, Sugar, Coffee, Mackerel, Canned goods, Confections, Queensware, and a hundred other articles of necessity and luxury, which he designs offering at such reasonable prices as to invite custom.

Tobacco, Cigars and Snuff.

T. M. Blacking. A liberal share of public patronage is respectfully solicited.

Call and See Me.

F. M. DAVIS. may 2-1y

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A PROGRESSIVE PLANTATION.

A Stock and Dairy Farm in Greene County.

Entaw Mirror.

"A thing of beauty is a joy forever," and when there is lots of money in it the joy is unspeakable.

A "Mirror" man recently had the pleasure of a short visit to the Lightfoot place, six miles south of Eutaw, which is in a state of evolution, so to speak, from a large and magnificent cotton plantation to the more rare and to us interesting state of a thoroughly equipped stock farm.

Mr. Lewis Lightfoot showed us around, and he evidently appreciates and understands the importance of having things systematic and everything in order. The first thing that attracted our attention was an osage hedge two miles long which forms a perfect and impenetrable fence for one full side of the magnificent pasture, an enclosure of about one thousand acres, conveniently divided off. The most of this vast enclosure grows only natural grasses, which are very fine, but much of it is well set in Bermuda. An effort, and a very successful one, is being made to get a start of the various grasses that are suitable to this climate and some that have not heretofore been thought to do well here. We were shown through about twenty acres of lucerne or alfalfa, which was two to three feet high and very luxuriant. This is something new in this county, and demonstrates its great value to our section. They did not get a good stand last spring, which was its first year, but the young sprigs have now covered the ground and next spring it will be as thick as it can stand. It grows rapidly and it is believed it will furnish more fine forage to the acre than any crop that can be grown. They expect to cut it five or six times a year. The land is black prairie, naturally rich, but when planted in lucerne was "run down" by cotton like most of the land hereabouts. One very valuable quality of this crop is that it grows in the sides and bottoms of the gullies alike luxuriantly, and it is thought will soon fill them all up. It is worth a visit to this farm just to see this one field.

On the place are 300 to 400 head of sheep, which are frequently transferred from one enclosure to another. We noticed a long hillside, partly open and partly wooded, where they had been lying. It was as rich as the river bottoms, and the Bermuda was so fresh, tender and luxuriant that it must be seen to be appreciated; we are at a loss to describe it. The sheep prefer lying on top of the hill and the waste gradually runs down through the grass turf until within the space of about three years fifty to one hundred acres have been thoroughly fertilized. The sheep pay handsomely in wool and increase, and of course this great bonanza of fertilization is purely incidental.

Up to this time there are only about two hundred head of cattle on the place, but they are increasing very rapidly. There are only a few thoroughbreds, but we believe a majority are grades. They have Jersey and short horn bulls and they are both perfect specimens—in fact, we believe that they are as large as the largest. It is proposed to get the entire place stocked with full bloods of these two varieties as near as may be. There are three splendid stables or barns, one for the horses and milch cows, one for the dry cows, and one for the calves, which are taken from the cows and weaned at about a week old. Each of these buildings is ample for the purpose, and provided with the necessary racks, petitions, &c., and a large room above for provender.

The dairy is specially fitted up with a view to convenience, and is under charge of Mr. Holmswood, an Englishman, who understands the business thoroughly. This building looks like a wholesale butter manufactory. Long tables are laden with monotonous rows of large pans in which the cream rises, thick and stiff almost as butter itself. These are skimmed off at the proper time and the cream placed in patent churns to be made into butter.

The skimmed milk is fed to hogs, of which there are quite a large herd and some fine specimens, nearly all full blood Berkshires. We were shown two Jersey Red pigs about a month old that were quite a show to us on account of their wonderful size. We suppose they would weigh about fifty pounds each. They are to have a fair trial on this place, on account of their quick growth and wonderful size. There are also, goats, bronze turkeys and various kinds of fine poultry, &c.

All the various kinds of grasses are to have a fair trial. A small patch of Texas blue grass is planted, some branches of Johnson grass grow about, and orchard grass, clover, oats, peas, &c., are not neglected.

A good portion of this place is still planted in cotton and corn under the management of Mr. Lightfoot, but it seems to be the intention to make stock supreme, and as soon as possible raise only such crops as are necessary to take care of the stock.

One thing of great importance we have neglected to mention, and that is the bored well, which furnishes an abundant supply of pure water for the whole place. By an ingenious arrangement of pasture fences it is made to supply each different enclosure.

We could write about this charming place indefinitely, but will have to close. We hope to see the time when every place in Greene

county will be run after this manner, if not on so large a scale. Then, indeed, will we live in an earthly paradise.

ROUGH ON PILCHER.

How Tom Marshall Overwhelmed an Opponent Forty Years Ago.

Chicago Times.

There lived in Kentucky, thirty or forty years ago, a man named Pilcher. It would require the pen of Fielding and the license that permitted the portraiture of "Squire Weston to properly sketch his character. He was a rude uncultured, sapient man, without great natural abilities; a scorpion tongue, laden with the poison of asps. He was as dissolute as John Wilkes, and his temper is fittingly described by O'Connell's epithet, "ram-cot." He is a sort of political Dalgetty, and, with the vulgar herd, a considerable force. He had vanquished every opponent who would consent to meet him—even old Ben Harden, whom John Randolph said was a "kitchen knife whetted on a brickbat." But in invective, his most powerful weapon, he found his master in Pilcher.

Such was a man who was pitted against Marshall. They met at Louisville on Corn island, a lovely spot near the Kentucky shore in the Ohio. The crowd assembled just at nightfall, and was composed of the beauty, wealth and worth of the city. It was in the early days of Marshall's career, when his budding genius gave promise of the richest fruition. The crowd was with Marshall, though Pilcher had friends in the throng.

Marshall delivered the greatest speech even he ever made. The audience was with him, and he reveled in an ecstasy of eloquence. He seemed inspired with more than mortal power, and swayed strong men and beautiful women as the storm the ripening harvest. In closing he pictured the scene before him, and made it as vivid to his hearers as to his own prodigy of imagination. La Belle Riviere, the silvery moon and its soft light and balmy air laden with the delicate and delicious perfume of a season's fruition; the vaulted skies studded with countless sparkling gems, all passed in review and received the impress of his matchless fancy. His audience hung breathless on his sentences. In the midst of a burst of descriptive eloquence he turned to where Pilcher sat, a few feet off. Pointing his expressive finger and throwing into his classic and mobile features a look of unutterable horror he exclaimed: "But O God there is Pilcher!" It was the devil in Eden. The audience broke all bounds and cheered, laughed and wept. The orator sat down and Pilcher conquered once declined to speak. He said afterwards that at the moment the look came upon Marshall's features and his voice uttered those words, he felt himself to be the vilest of created beings.

Consoling to Editors.

The following, which we clip from an exchange, is not only consoling to the average newspaper editors, but it presents a picture so true, that we hope it will have a good effect upon some fault-finders and delinquent subscribers of this paper.

"An editor died and went to the world's crematory. The devil met him with a tender smile of compassion and thus shot off his mouth: "For many long years thou hast meekly borne the blame of the bad spelling that the printers has got me off in the paper. Thy paper has gone out for two dollars, but alas! the two dollars has often failed to come in for thy paper. The printer has be-deviled thee for wages every Saturday night, when thou hadst not a darn farthing to thy name. They have taken thy paper without even paying thee for it, then curse thee for not sending out a better paper. Thou hast been called dead-head by the passenger conductors, when thou hast shown thy annual pass to their envious gaze. All these things thou hast borne in silence. Why comest thou here? Go up higher, thou poor man; an eternity of rest can scarcely requite thee."

Sensational Shooting Affray.

CHATTANOOGA, May 27.—A very sensational shooting affray occurred at Scottsboro to-night, the principal actors being Mrs. Lizzie Skelton, a member of one of the leading families in North Alabama, and Hugh Bynum, a prominent North Alabamian. Mrs. Skelton saw Bynum on the street and called him over. He rushed to her side, and instantly she jerked a pistol from her sleeve and began firing at him. She fired three times. One bullet took effect in his shoulder and the others passed through his clothing. The officers ran up, and the woman held them at bay with drawn weapon, but finally surrendered and gave bond. She stated that Bynum had defamed her character and spoken slightly of her. Her sister attempted to shoot the same man two years ago for the same cause. All the parties are wealthy.

The mineral wealth of Alabama still attracts capital. A wealthy body of capitalists from Pennsylvania visited Anniston and Birmingham last week. They have made investments at Anniston and will go to work there immediately. Mr. Henry F. DeBardeleben has become one of the stockholders which is a guarantee of success.

WHEAT CROP.

Gloomy Prospect for this Year's Yield.

CHICAGO, May 31.—The growing wheat crops having reached a critical stage, the winter wheat having approached a condition sufficiently near maturity to the approximate acreage and probable yield. The Farmer's Review has followed its weekly summary by a complete survey of all the Western and Southern States, reports having been received from over three thousand correspondents, covering every wheat producing county in Ohio, Michigan, Indiana, Illinois, Kentucky, Tennessee, Missouri, Kansas, Nebraska, Iowa, Wisconsin, Minnesota and Dakota, together with a very accurate and recent summary from the Pacific coast region made by the Associated Press. It is believed this makes one of the most complete reports ever prepared.

The review has been carefully made, and the information is believed to be the most exhaustive and latest that has yet been obtained, and foreshadows the State and Government reports. The Review says:

"The gloomiest views which have been advanced concerning the winter wheat outlook, for 1885 must now be accepted as the most accurate. The promising conditions of 1884 have this season been completely reversed. The absolute uniformity of the return indicate that the outlook for winter sown wheat this year in the worst in ten years and it may be now set down as positive that under the most favoring conditions the total winter and spring wheat yield will fall considerably under the short crop of 1881, when the total production was 330,000,000 bushels.

"The condition in the various States is as follows: Illinois, the average condition does not exceed 46 per cent of the yield of 1884; Kansas, 53 per cent; Missouri, 52 per cent, the State not producing more than one-third of its last year's yield; Ohio 58 per cent; Indiana, 45 per cent.

"Tennessee will not harvest one-fourth of the crop of 1884.

"Kentucky, 55 per cent, of last year's crop.

"The Pacific coast region shows a shortage of 26,500,000 bushels as compared with the crops of 1884.

"Michigan promises to turn out 96 per cent of the average yield. "From a close compilation, and taking a most cheerful view of the situation, the winter wheat yield for the present year will not exceed two hundred million bushels, and the absolute percentage from most of the trustworthy sources indicate that the yield will fall somewhat short under instead over the figures given."

The Review turning to the spring wheat belt, says the outlook is altogether more promising. It is probable the spring wheat yield, based upon the continuing favorable weather, will be 130,000,000 bushels. The total wheat crop of the country, therefore, from the present outlook, will be from 320,000,000 to 330,000,000 bushels, against the average yield for the past five years of 467,000,000 bushels."

An Alabama Lady Killed in Oregon.

PORTLAND, Ore., May 31.—Mrs. Preston Smith, wife of a prominent capitalist of this place, was instantly killed in her bedroom this morning, while seated in a chair nursing her babe, by the accidental discharge of a pistol, which a servant was carrying from the bed to a place on the mantle.

Her husband had left the weapon under his pillow before he left his home a few minutes before. Mrs. Smith was a native of Huntsville, Ala., and was married there about six years ago.

One Will Have to be Provided.

From the Sparta, Ga., Ishmaelite. "Hell" has been left out of the last revision of the Bible and "sheol," or the grave, takes its place. We regret to see the change. If there was no hell when the Bible was written one will soon be provided to meet the exigencies springing from the wickedness of the day.

It is shrewdly predicted by a Philadelphia philosopher that there will be close to 100,000 demerits in federal offices before November, 1887.

Queen Victoria's bills for private telegrams during her fortnight's stay at Aix-le-Bains amounted to enough to support two or three small families for a year.

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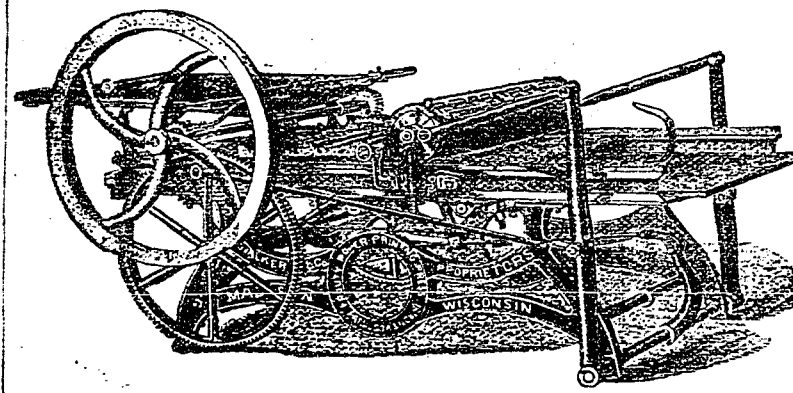
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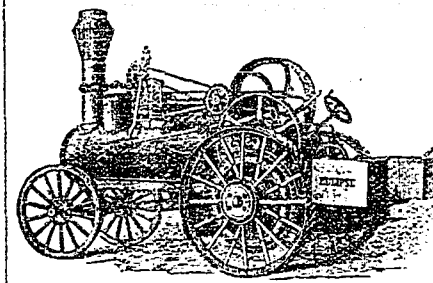
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JOHN RAMAGNANO.

JUNE 13, 1885.

Myriads of locusts have made their appearance near Chattanooga and are doing great damage to fruit-trees. The *Times* thinks they are the dreaded seventeen year locusts that did such damage in that section on their last appearance there. The *Times* says: "They are very voracious and quite common upon any green grass or stalk they have selected and cut." Seventeen years ago in the same section they destroyed every vestige of vegetation in their path.

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of an arm or leg—or
3rd. In consequence of a wound
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these three acts, no explanation is
necessary, except as to the nature
of the wound. If applicant can-
not swear to any of them he is not
entitled to relief under the act and
the application will be returned
without application for relief under sec-
5 of said act must make affidavit
positively that they "lost their
service in the service of the Confed-

Not a Single Gray Hair.

"You may laugh and think me vain thing," writes Mrs. J. R. C. of San Francisco, to a friend in this city "but I have not a gray hair on my head, and yet had to say, I am fifty and a day. Recently my hair was not only white gray but quite thin. Parker's Hair Balsam—made in New York, I think—did wonders for me. Try it if you have occasion. It really does what I say, and restores the color also. Not a dye, not greasy, highly perfumed. Only reliable hair dressing—unquestionably."

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June 13-31. Judge of Probate

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ITEMS OF INTEREST.
"Flirtation is damnation"—Talmage
Well, if flirtation
Is damnation,
Our fears away we'll fling;
For, if he's right,
Damnation's quite
A pleasant kind of thing.
And, by the way,
We here may say
That past experience teaches
There'll be once more,
Just as of yore,
Damnation at the beaches.
And sad to tell,
Ho knows full well
Who his experience searches;
There's often been,
Plain to be seen,
Damnation in the churches.
—Exchange.

OLE VIRGINNY 'POSSUM.

Uncle Sandy Tells the Story of How to
Ketch, Cook, and Eat 'Em.

Talbotton (Ga.) Km.

Long years ago there used to
come through Talbot county a
negro trader, O'Neal by name,
from whom Hon. Henry Persons
gleaned the story of "Uncle San-
dy's 'possum," being the modus
operandi of 'possum catching and
eating as told in the original lan-
guage of the old dorky of "Old
Virginny neber tire."

"Jesso, boss, jesso," says Uncle
Sandy, "dat 'possum an' curious
varmint, shores yer born, yit hit
shorely am de sweets' of meat."

"How you coteh 'im and cook
an' eat 'im? Ise ess gwine ter tell
year."

"Yer fuss go down dar in de ole
pine fiel' whar we clem up about
ten years 'go an' yer cut yer sum-
er dem fat lightered roots out de
ground from one er dem stumps;
den yer fotehs um hum an' sets
um up in de chimly corner fer ter
dry twel Saddy night cum. Ven
dat night comes yer jes tak dem
lightered roots and split 'em up
and likes um, and takes yer ax on
yer shoulder and goes out de cabin
do, calls yer dog, and den go down
de hoss lot branch. Yer go long
fer 'bout er hour an yer tink yer
ain't gwine ter ketch nuffin.
Bimeby, near 'bout wen seben
stars way up yonder, yer lose yer
dog. He done clean gone fer sho.
Yer gits mity tired. Yer tink fer
sho yer ain't gwine ter ketch nuffin.
Yer gits sleepy an' yer eyes get
hebbly. Yer long ways fram hum.
Yer start back dar, too, mity low
speredet. Yer call an' call dat
dog, but he ain't gwine cum no
mo; den yer goes on back towards
hum, and bimeby yer gets dar.
An' yer dan tuk yer boy, Sam, wid
yer, and when yer gits in de yard
Sam he stops little while ter listen;
den he say, 'Daddy, I 'ere dat dog.'
Yer say, 'Oh, hush yer fuss, boy,
yer doan kno whar yer talkin. But
he say again: 'Daddy, I do ere dat
dog sho.' Well, den yer listins
an yer eres er dog barkin way off
in de woods, pears like about five
miles off. Yer listins and yer eres
em again and dis time pears like
he furdur off den fore. Sam says:
'Daddy, jess go? Yer stops and
tinks. Yer mity tired, sho, but
de boy beg so, yer hatter go. Yer
starts. Yer goes on pears like fore
miles and ye des fall down on er
log. Yer say, 'Sam, yer fool nig-
ger, Ise not gwine er nudder step.
I doan bleed dat my dog, and er
doan bleed de enny 'possum dar
needer.' Sam say, 'Well, daddy,
ef yer don't I does, I 'se gwine.'
Yer hatter git up an' go. Dat dog
barkin on des de same; an' yer
soon gits dar, sho nuff, des like
Sam say, de dog is dar, an' dat
possum is dar too. De tree whar
he up is one er dese little simmon
trees and Sam'll soon clem it an'
foteh breer possum down by de tail.
Yer look at de possum an' smeck
de lips, fer 'e be big fine fellow.
Den yer take 'em an' go rite back
hum, an jess fo yer git ter de door,
yer take yer ax and an' put 'em
cross 'e neck an' bre'k 'e neck by
pullin' ob 'e tail. Den yer tek 'im
in 'ouse, and de ole 'oman done
leff great big fireplace heap full
hickory ashes. Yer takes de shub-
ble, and opens big hole in dem pile
er ashes, and drops dat possum in
dar, an' when yer take 'im outer
dat de ha'r des pull off des es easy,
an' yer put 'im in some hot water
and scrapes 'im wid er casenife,
and he cums clean. Den yer takes
out de intrals, hang 'im up and
wash 'im good, den yer salts 'im
down, and puts 'im away twel
Monday mornin'.

"Monday mornin' cum, de ole
'oman tek 'im out an' parbille 'im
good, den she git 'bout pek er
taters and den she clem dem 'taters an'
piles 'em all over 'im, an' den she
baks 'im twell de grease run all
fru dem taters. Den she teks 'im
out an' puts 'im in de big dish, an'
sets 'im on de dinner table wid de
taters pile all ober 'im.

"Yer cum ter dinner fum de fiel
an yer walks in an' sets down ter
de table, but yer doan eat dat pos-
sum den! No, sah, doan yer eat
'im den! Arter dinner yer des
takes 'im an' der taters an' sets 'im
up in de cupboard.

"Bimeby yer cums hom fum de
day's work ter supper. Your
mity worn out, fer yer been wak-
ing in de fiel hard all day. Yer
sets down outside de cabin do and
takes yer pipe and smokes. Yer
long Sam say, 'Daddy, supper
reddy.' But yer des set dar, yer
doan go in. Yer wait twell de ole
'oman and de chillin git fru eaten
and de chillin go off ter bed. Den
yer yer knocks de ashes out yer
pipe and goes in. Yer moves de
leefle square table front de fire
and puts yer char close up dar by
it. Den yer goes ter de cupboard
and gits de possum and taters.
Yer puts 'em on de table. Yer
tells de ole 'oman ter go on out an'
yer locks de do. Den dar yer is.
You an' de possum all by yeerself
togedder. Yer frows yer ole hat

on de flo, takes yer seat in dat char
by de table, and gibs yer sole ter
yer God!"

A Disappointed Porter.

When the Bently excursion from
Iowa stopped for breakfast at
Rives on the M. & O. R. R., one
day last week, the sleeping car
porter concluded he would take
his lish with his white brethren.
The clerk politely requested that
he step into the colored dining
room but he let fly a full-fledged
oath and swore he wouldn't go.
The clerk quietly knocked the
porter down but he arose and went
for the clerk. The other clerk of
the hotel put in an appearance
about this time and let fly a glass
that struck the porter's head and
floored him a second time. About
this time the Iowa soldier boys, en
route to Mobile, came to the ne-
gro's rescue and insisted upon him
taking his seat with the whites.
They were then told by citizens
that the porter might take his seat,
but he would be carried out feet
foremost. The negro fortunately
had more sense than his white
advisers, and consequently that
advised the difficulty. We suppose
this occurrence will be written in
red when the gallant Iowa soldier
boys get back home.—Jackson,
Tenn., Whip.

Major J. G. Pangborn, the man
who gets up the famous red books
of the Baltimore and Ohio railroad,
was once a New York journalist.
He drifted to Kansas City without
a dime in his pocket, and offered
to wait on the hotel table for his
board. This menial work, how-
ever, was not required of him, and
obtained a position on the Times,
a paper which then had seventeen
daily and 257 weekly subscribers.
Pangborn sailed into the corrupt
legislature with such daring, as to
cause his summary expulsion from
the capitol about three times a
week. This policy ran his paper
up to a daily circulation of 25,000.
His forte was the condensation of
statistics, and in his present position
his work shows for itself.—
Atlanta Constitution.

The Baby.

Two ladies were overheard talk-
ing over the fence as follows:
"What is the matter with your
baby? I don't hear it cry any more."

"I have cured it of bawling."

"Do you give it soothing syrup
with opium in it?"

"No, I don't give it any medi-
cine at all. I have adopted an en-
tirely new plan."

"What is it?"

"When it begins to cry I smear
the tips of its little fingers with
molasses, and give it a few feath-
ers to hold in one hand. Its atten-
tion becomes aroused and picks
off the feathers with the other hand.
The feathers stick to the other
hand, of course, and the little
darling picks them off again. The
little angel's mind is thus so
completely absorbed with the
feathers that it forgets to cry."

Ex-Auditor Reynolds.

The following from a Washing-
ton paper shows pretty clearly that
ex-Auditor Reynolds of Alabama,
did commit suicide: "The coroner's
jury at St. Louis last night ren-
dered a verdict that the late R. M.
Reynolds, who was found dead in
the Southern Hotel in St. Louis
yesterday, came to his death by su-
icide. The testimony of all the
witnesses showed that the deceased
could not have fallen over the rail-
ing before the air-duct without
drawing himself up."

The Dakota people have a way
of their own of settling up their
affairs. An attempt to put a bank
in charge of an assignee was re-
sisted by the officers, who paid out
the entire assets to the depositors,
who were standing around.—At-
lanta Constitution.

Rev. W. H. Meredith, of Monte-
vallo, died on Sunday morning
last in the seventy-second year of
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The Talladega gold boomers are
still sanguine, but a little mysteri-
ous. We are anxiously awaiting
developments.—Shelby Sentinel.

The Lewis-McCoy controversy
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facts. The first is that McCoy
doesn't like the University, and the
other is, Lewis doesn't like McCoy.
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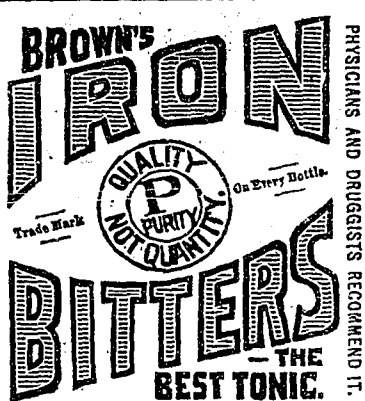
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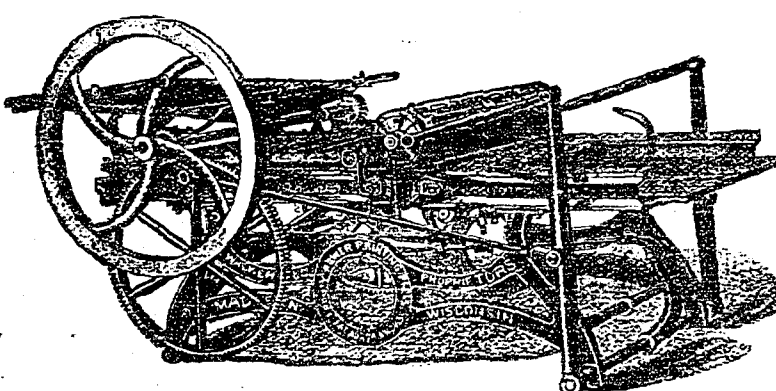
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ALABAMA CROP REPORT FOR MAY.

The Report of Commissioner Batts for May divides the State into nine agricultural regions.

The "Central Prairie Region," composed of the counties of Sumter, Greene, Hale, Marengo, Perry, Dallas, Lowndes, Montgomery, Bullock, Macon, Russell and Barber, produces 40 per cent of the cotton crop of the State.

The "Gravelly Hills, with Long Leaf Pine Region," composed of the counties of Autauga, Bibb, Chilton, Elmore and Tuscaloosa, produces 5 per cent of the cotton crop.

The "Oak Hickory Uplands, with Long Leaf Pine Region," composed of the counties of Choctaw, Monroe, Wilcox, Butler, Conecuh, Crenshaw, Pike, Coffee, Clark, Dale and Henry, produces 4 per cent of the cotton crop.

The "Coosa Valley Region," composed of the counties of Cherokee, Etowah, St. Clair, Talladega, Shelby and Calhoun, produces 8 per cent of the cotton crop.

The "Coal Measure Region," composed of the counties of DeKalb, Cullman, Blount, Jefferson, Winston, Marshall and Walker, produces 3 per cent of the cotton crop.

The "Long Leaf Pine Region," composed of the counties of Mobile, Escambia, Geneva, Washington, Baldwin and Covington, produces 1 per cent of the cotton crop.

The "Metamorphic Region," composed of the counties of Cleburne, Chambers, Lee, Tallapoosa, Clay, Coosa and Randolph, produces 10 per cent of the cotton crop.

The "Tennessee Valley Region," composed of the counties of Jackson, Madison, Limestone, Lauderdale, Lawrence, Colbert, Franklin and Morgan, produces 12 per cent of the cotton crop.

The "Oak and Hickory Upland Region," composed of the counties of Marion, Lamar, Fayette and Pickens, produces 17 per cent of the cotton crop.

The report shows that in the Coosa Valley Region the cotton stand is 93, condition 100; corn stand 87, condition 91; oats stand 85, condition 92; wheat stand 99, condition 95. This is a gratifying showing for this section. Late rains, since the report was made, has benefitted the small grain crop. The report further shows the following increase and decrease in the acreage devoted to the different crops throughout the State:

"Total number of acres of cotton for the State, in 1884, was 2,037,026.

Total number of acres of cotton for the State 1885 is 2,029,454, showing a decrease of 8,572 acres, but the Central Prairie Region, which produces 40 per cent of the cotton crop, shows an increase of 29,955 acres. The Coosa Valley Region, which produces 8 per cent of the crop shows an increase of 2,072 acres. The Tennessee Valley Region, which produces 12 per cent of the cotton crop, shows an increase of 2,385. Aggregating an increase of 28,412 acres of the Cotton Region.

Increase acreage in corn for the State 38,108 acres. Increase acreage in oats for the State 28,937 acres. Decrease acreage in wheat for the State 28,232 acres."

LETTER FROM TEXAS.

WAXAHATCHIE TEX., June 12, '85. ED. REPUBLICAN.—I am originally from Calhoun county, and have a great many old friends there who no doubt would like to hear from me in my far away Texas home.

I left Calhoun on the 1st day of Sept. 1868 and paid it a visit in 1869, spent several years in Mississippi and was water-bound one year in Arkansas; came to this, Ellis county 21st day of May 1875 and have spent most of the time here since. I have done almost all kinds of labor—plow, hoe, pick cotton, chop cord wood, haul rails—for three years. I have since that time done business in a small way and held offices. First constable and deputy sheriff, was next elected Justice of the Peace, held that office till I resigned; was last fall elected District Clerk of Ellis county by a good majority, which office I now hold.

Ellis is indeed a fine farming country, with as good society as any where. Our county voted pro-

hibition 6th last Sept., and now we have no saloons. Crime is lessening. We have good schools. Public schools, I think, will last this year 11 months; scholastic age 8 to 16 years; fine school buildings in almost every school community. Ellis county ranks in wealth and population 6th in the State.

I find a great many Alabamians here, several from Calhoun county. Now and then I meet an old soldier who was with us during the late unpleasantness. I belonged to the 30th Alabama Regiment, Co. E., and lost my arm at Resaca, Georgia, 15th day of May 1864. The company was Capt. McBee's old company. I learn with sadness that the captain passed away some years ago. Sam Kelly afterwards commanded the company. I would say to the old soldiers who were at Resaca that I attended the soldiers' reunion last summer at Dallas and met two comrades who belonged to Pettus' (my) brigade there. I met a great many noted persons, both blue and grey. We will have another reunion at Fort Worth in August this year. I met a few of the celebrated 10th Alabama here. Capt. Roger Williams, who once commanded a company in that regiment, lives in my county.

Now I wish to speak of our products and in doing so I will try to deal fairly with facts and figures though they may seem somewhat large. We make of corn 35 to 60 bushels per acre, and cotton half to one bale, often a bale. Wheat is rather an uncertain crop here—from 8 to 20 bushels. Oats is the most certain of the small grain crops—from 40 to 100 bushels per acre. One hundred bushels of oats is no unusual occurrence. Vegetables do well here on sandy soil and fruits of almost every description except apple does well as in Alabama; only trees do not last so long as there. In fact I find that as our county fills with the more enterprising, the county is made to produce every thing that I find elsewhere. Land is very high here, owing to the fact of Ellis county's reputation abroad. She has had a large emigration every year for a great many years. Lands are worth in the raw state from \$5 to \$10, improved land worth \$15 to \$20 according to improvement.

I see a letter in the REPUBLICAN from a man at Groesbeck. They have a good county as well. As to our population, I can not tell exactly now, but in 1880, at which time we took census, it was over 22,000. Our voting population at last Fall election was nearly five thousand. Our county is very quiet just now; our jail contains 6 criminals, mostly for misdemeanors; 2 murder cases on our docket; sent one man to penitentiary February term of court. Our record shows a considerable decrease of crime over former years.

Some one will ask, does prohibition prohibit? I say yes, knowingly.

Mr. Editor, I will wind up my rambling remarks for fear I worry your patience. Should you find space in the dear old REPUBLICAN you may publish my letter and I will cheerfully answer any questions from any old friends who may wish to know more of Texas and Ellis county. Taxation 90 cents on \$1,000, with \$2 poll tax. Respectfully, J. P. COOPER.

A Salvation army officer in Delaware has an original way of proving the wickedness of this world. Towards the end of his address he always says: "If there is any Christian in this assemblage let him hold up his hand and I will go home with him and spend the night." Strange to say, no Christian has yet been known to hold up his hand.

Her head was pillowed on his breast, and looking up in a shy way she said: "Do you know dear George, that—" "You mean dear James, I think," he interrupted, smiling fondly at her mistake. "Why, yes, to be sure. How stupid I am! I was thinking this Wednesday evening—New York Sun.

Gen. W. S. Rosencrans has been appointed Register of the Treasury in place of B. K. Bruce resigned.

COOSA VALLEY DISTRICT.

News from Surrounding Counties.

TALLADEGA. The Mountain Home says that there is plenty of gold in Talladega county and that all that is needed is for experienced miners to come and work it.

Talladega is getting impatient over the long retention of Postmaster Mosely in office. It is said that Mr. Mosely has been elected by the stockholders editor of the Chattahoochee Commercial, a Republican paper. This may simplify matters.

Talladega County Sunday School Convention will meet at Eastaboga in a few weeks.

Talladega is to have a regular old fashioned horse-swappers convention with brass band and base ball attachments the 4th of July.

An election will be held in Talladega for prohibition or no prohibition the 3rd day of August next.

Capt. A. W. Bowie took the first cotton squares of the season to the office of the Mountain Home on the 6th.

The Methodist church of Talladega has given the pastor, Dr. Hearn, a vacation of three months.

Mr. J. C. Hickey, who left Talladega for California, fifty years ago, has been recently visiting that city.

Mr. Geo. W. Chambers of Talladega is in England, interesting capitalists in the mineral resources of Talladega county.

Mr. M. S. Jones, of Lincoln, reached Talladega some days ago with one Heliam C. Watson, charged with horse stealing. Mr. Jones caught Hel in Columbus, Ga.

CHEROKEE COUNTY.

The second session of the Cherokee teachers' Institute will be held in Centre on the 3rd and 4th of July.

Centre has had a masked carnival of roller skaters.

Mr. B. F. Jones and Miss Emma Chandler of Howell's Roads were married the 7th inst.

The Coosa River News has a strong editorial favoring Hon. W. L. Bragg for Governor.

Sheriff Vandiver, of Cherokee, while waiting on a sick child recently swooned and fell to the floor and was resuscitated with difficulty.

The News has received valuable specimens of iron ore, castings and pumice stone from Dirt Cellar mountain in Cherokee county, on the proposed line of the Anniston & Chattahoochee Railroad.

Dr. Allgood of Amberson has moved to Centre.

The wheat and oat crop about Centre will turn out better than was expected.

The Cherokee County Sunday School Convention will be held at Liberty church, near Amberson, the 30th and 31st of July.

A great deal of the lowlands about Lay are drowned out and farmers will have to plant again.

Rev. Jno. B. Appleton, of the Primitive Baptist Church, recently delivered a lecture at Black church, in which he claimed that foot washing was not an ordinance of the church. There will be a meeting of the church Friday before the fifth Sunday in August at Liberty Hill, in DeKalb county, to further discuss the subject.

ST. CLAIR COUNTY.

The Ashville Aegis wants ex-Chancellor Graham for next Governor of Alabama.

The exercises of Springville Institute closed June 12th., with concert, recitations and dialogues.

Irish potatoes are very fine and abundant about Ashville.

Mr. R. B. Crow, an old and respected citizen of Ashville died the 6th inst.

The amount of work done by the farmers of St. Clair last week was amazing.

Another coal mining company is to be organized in St. Clair.

ETOWAH COUNTY.

Gadsden offers great inducements as a summer resort.

The Good Templers lodge at Gadsden is in a flourishing condition.

Quite a number of people of Brookfield, Pa., speak of settling in Gadsden.

The Times wants the people of Gadsden to do something on the 4th of July.

The Etowah Rifles are drilling every night. They expect to attend the encampment of the Third Regiment.

Seven young men of Gadsden were recently fined five dollars each for throwing ball on the street.

T. H. Akridge, of Phillips beat, killed a rattlesnake recently 3 feet 7 inches in length and 6 inches in circumference.

A wind storm in Alford's bend recently did much damage to fencing, timber and crops.

Gadsden is to have her water-works certain. The water will be taken from the river. Col. S. H. Lockett is engineer of the work with Mr. Early Hardaway as assistant. Pipe and machinery will arrive in thirty or forty days.

Sunday the 7th inst. A. L. Fullender and one of his tenants named Adcock had a difficulty near Attalla when Adcock shot Fullender in the head. Fullender is in a critical condition. Adcock has escaped.

CLEBURNE COUNTY.

The editor of the Edwardsville Standard was quite sick last week.

The people of Heflin have had a vote on the subject and changed the name of the town to Cleveland.

Examination exercises of Ross Institute in Heflin will begin July 4th. Mr. Feagan, of Anniston, will deliver an address.

There has been too much rain in Cleburne for the farmers.

Married near Oak Level. Mr. G. W. Malone and Miss M. A. Surrette.

Married near Bells Mills Rev. G. W. Roberts of Iredell, Texas, and Miss M. F. Brannon, of Cleburne county.

The Standard says the farmers of Cleburne are working harder this year than usual.

It is said A. G. Grice, of Edwardsville, has a porcupine.

From the following it will be seen that accounts of the recent illness of Bro. Yarbrough of the Edwardsville Standard has not been exaggerated:

"Brother Grant of the Jacksonville Republican, just tried himself last week. His last issue was packed with news. But as for the turkey dinner, at this time we feel unable to do the subject justice, and are not ready for such a dinner! Just have them to wait till we get well, then we'll be ready for a turkey, or even a chicken-pie, or anything else that may happen to be about! We are quiet, so far."

A Picturesque Town.

Reproducing a short descriptive article that recently appeared in the REPUBLICAN, the Monroe Journal takes occasion to speak as follows of Jacksonville.

"Jacksonville is one of the most beautiful and picturesque towns in the mountains of North Alabama, and we take pleasure in reproducing this graphic pen-picture of the beautiful scenery surrounding the place by Editor Grant, of the Republican. Jacksonville is indeed a delightful town with delightful people, bracing and health-involving mountain breezes, pure water and lovely scenery, and ought to be a popular summer resort for South Alabama."

There is great destitution in parts of West Virginia and but for outside help the people of those sections will starve. These are the counties that suffered from drought and scourge last year.

During a sensational murder trial in Paris the court house was crowded. When the crowd began to leave the building, the stone stairway gave way and twenty-four people were killed and one hundred and sixty-three were wounded.

Cholera is increasing at a rapid rate in Spain.

EXECUTIVE HOSPITALITY.

Some time ago Governor Gallaham, a well-known Southern executive, started North on business connected with the debt of his State. Upon arriving at Little Rock the passengers were told that owing to a "washout," the train would be delayed several hours.

"Ah," thought Governor Gallaham, "this will give me an opportunity to meet the Governor of Arkansas."

He inquired the way to the State House. The Governor of Arkansas was out of town. He had left the office in charge of private secretary, who, having made arrangements to go fishing, had turned over the department to the care of his worthless brother-in-law, Tom Bickle.

"Come in," said Bickle, as a stately looking gentleman presented himself at the door.

"Good morning, sir. Have I the honor of addressing the Chief Executive of Arkansas?"

"You have, sir," replied Bickle. "I am Governor Gallaham."

"Ah, Governor, glad to meet you, sir. Sit down and make yourself as much at home as though you were in your own office. By the way, Governor Gallaham, do you object to the observance of a time-honored custom prevalent here?"

"Oh, no, not at all."

"Well, sir, many years ago, probably before the meeting of the Governors of North and South Carolina, the Legislature of Arkansas passed a very peculiar, though, when you become accustomed to it, natural enough resolution. This, as nearly as I can remember, is the text: 'Resolved, that when the Governor of Arkansas calls upon the Governor of another State, that he shall procure a jug of the best whisky and drink to the everlasting perpetuity of our common country; and be it further resolved, that when the Governor of another State visits the Governor of Arkansas, that the visiting Governor procure a jug and drink as above directed.' This is an old custom, Governor."

continued Bickle, who was suffering for a drink, and who hadn't the substance of a cent nor the shadow of a credit, "and I will not insist upon its enforcement, especially as I am a prohibitionist; but as I say the custom is very old and has been observed by some of the most eminent men in the country. I thought I had a jug here somewhere," added Bickle, looking under the table. The Governor of Missouri is down here some days ago, and though I insisted, yielding to the promptings of the great temperance principle, that the rule should not be observed, yet he declared that he would not be the first to disregard it. Good man, that Governor of Missouri. Full of honor, brim full of it, sir."

"My dear sir," said Governor Gallaham, "I was elected on the Temperance ticket, but like the Governor of Missouri, I cannot be the first one to trample upon the rule. What is the conventional sum?"

"Ten Dollars."

"Here's the money, sir."

Bickle said on such occasions it was the rule for the resident Governor to go in person and have the jug filled. Going to a neighboring saloon, he bought two dollars worth of cheap whiskey.

"Now, Governor, we will proceed, he said, when he had returned to the executive chamber."

"I do not like to drink replied Gallaham: 'I used to drink a great deal and I—'

"Oh, so do I, Governor, and were it not for this old-time rule I would never drink again. Glasses are barred turn up the jug."

Gallaham took a pretty fair "snort," and passed the jug to Bickle, who wrestled with it as a man does with an opponent of whose tricks he is aware.

"Arkansas is a great State," said the visiting Governor, "a state of the most wonderful resources."

"Bet your executive life," replied Bickle, shoving the jug towards Gallaham, who, turning it up, remarked:

"Here's to our common country."

"Don't speak of it," said Bickle, as he received the jug and puckered his lips around the short neck of the vessel.

"How long have you lived in this State?" asked Gallaham.

"Who me? Let me think. See in the Arkansas river out there? Well, sir, when I came here that river was nothing but a damp streak."

"Oh, yes. It kept getting damper every year until it got so oozy that we had to roll up our breeches when we crossed it. See that steamboat? Well, sir, right where that boat is hugging the current now yoke of steers got stalled one day."

Gallaham said nothing, but he turned up the jug. Bickle caught it as it came down, drank, and continued:

"That river gets awful low in

summer. Got so low last year that the doctors gave it up. Nobody thought it could recover. I've seen steamboats struggling along on stilts, and the passengers were all sneezing."

"Passengers sneezing?"

"Yes, the dust was so thick that one time—"

Bickle did not finish the sentence, but glided through the door. He saw the Governor of Arkansas coming up the walk. Gallaham did not observe the departure of Mr. Bickle, but sat with his elbows on the table and his head on his hands. The real Governor entered. Gallaham looked up and said:

"Whizz Governor?"

"I am the Governor."

"Liar!"

Governor Gallaham was rudely hustled from the executive chamber. He can not remember how long it was from the time he left the executive chamber until the time when he struck the State House yard, but he thinks it was during the afternoon. He took the wrong train and went back home. The people of his State are indignant. The chances are that his political grave has been dug. Bickle has not returned from the woods.—Arkansas Traveler.

Russian Names.

New Orleans Times-Democrat.

"I beg pardon for interrupting you," said a shabby-intellectual man, as he seated himself near the city editor. "My name is Prof. Bumby, and I came in to call your attention to something."

"Well, sir, what is it?"

"You are aware of course, that Gladstone has resigned as premier of England. Well, that means an Anglo-Russian war, a disruption of empires and a drama of blood. As the great European struggle will be viewed with a great deal of interest by the people of this country, and will furnish a topic for conversation in all classes of society, I propose to open a school for the purpose of teaching people the proper pronunciation of Russian names."

It would not be the proper thing for a person to go in to polite society, and while attempting to pronounce the name of some distinguished Russian general, make a harsh noise with his mouth that would sound like a tin bath-tub falling down the back stairs. My method of teaching does away with all harsh guttural sounds and enables the student to glide over the lumps and ruts in a Russian name with the greatest ease and without a single halt."

Now, a common name in Russia is Kaloravitch-abowski, which to an American sounds very much like an alphabetical explosion, and in print resembles a detached portion of a St. Patrick's parade. Without some knowledge of the Russian language an English speaking person would get in the middle of the name and never find his way out, unless he had a guide with him. My purpose in calling to see you was to ask you to make mention of the fact that the public can secure my services, and that special rates will be granted literary societies."

"What is your method of teaching the Russian pronunciation?" inquired the city editor.

"I first instruct my scholars to open their mouths as wide as possible and through their nasal organs say, 'Haw! He! Haul!' It is very interesting, and when twenty or thirty pupils are together practicing the nasal sounds a great many foolish people think there is a jacksack farm in the neighborhood. The next exercise I give them is to say 'roff,' 'koff,' 'moff,' 'vitch' and 'wich' with mouth open and lower jaw stationary. This is somewhat difficult, but they learn in time, and then I teach them the rapid jaw slide, or, in other words, to throw the chin under either the right or left ear, in order to give the accent peculiar to the language."

"If Russia and England go to war," said the city editor, "which will win?"

"I'm very much afraid Russia will be victorious," replied the professor, "for the reason that the Russians have advantages which the English do not possess. For instance if a troop of Russians are in a hurry to cross a river, their commander Col. Morovitchakobolski will instruct his soldiers to take his name and nail planks to it and use it as a pontoon bridge. He also allows them to use it as a scaling ladder when necessary."

If then the Czar wishes a military railroad built to a certain point he strings out the names of his staff officers and the soldiers spike steel rails to them," and the professor sighed as he thought of the fate of the English, and the city editor sighed also after the professor had gone to think that some people could beat him lying.

Indians are still slaughtering people in the West and the troops are very active, but somehow they don't catch any Indians.

STATE NEWS.

Will Smith, a negro, called at the residence of Mr. Orr, of Marshall county, drew his revolver and told Mrs. Orr that he had been looking for a wife all day and now he would make her one. She escaped him and notified her husband, who was working near. It is needless to add that Sweet William was killed without much further ceremony.

Mr. C. P. Williamson and others will erect another iron furnace in Birmingham.

Johnson and Crook of Crenshaw county charged, with pension frauds, in forging the name and drawing the pension for ten years of a widow, have been convicted and sent to Chester Penitentiary in Illinois. They confessed their crime.

Jefferson county is going to build a new court house.

Faunsdale, in the heart of the Cane-brake, is one of the growing towns of Marengo.

C. A. Lanier has been elected superintendent of the city schools in Montgomery in place of Prof. G. A. Woodward who had resigned.

The Walker county Time Cityzen advocates Hon. N. N. Clements of Tuscaloosa for Governor.

Wm. W. Stone, nephew of Judge Stone of our Supreme court, died in Greenville the 6th.

Ed. Hairston, a brakeman was killed near Pittilla, Lowndes county, some days ago, by falling between the cars.

J. D. Brock died at Fort Deposit, Lowndes county, last week, of consumption.

Last week a body of disguised men released from the Fayette county jail Green and Bill Terney, white, who were under a sentence of murder.

Mr. Walter Fearn of New Orleans, recently appointed minister to Greece, is a native of Huntsville, this state.

Wash Haralson, a good old darkey died here recently. He bought his supplies for a number of years from Mr. A. Richard, who never took a mortgage on either his crop or other effects, and was always paid up promptly. Wash was a Democrat, which probably accounted for his exceptional honesty.—Hayesville Examiner.

Mr. W. D. Paris, a gentleman from Birmingham, destitute of both hands, was in town several days last week. He says that he has always made an independent, living for himself and family, that he is out of debt, and has accumulated some property. Can all of our able bodied readers say as much?—Jasper Eagle.

Metal Poison

I am a copper smith by trade, and during a series of years my arms (being bare when at work) have absorbed a wonderful amount of metal poison. Having a scrupulous tendency from my youth, the small particles of copper and brass would get into the sores, and by this process the poison was conveyed into my blood till my whole system became infected. I was treated with the old remedies of mercury and iodide potassium. Salvation followed, my teeth are all loose in my head, my digestive organs deranged, and I have been helpless in bed for over a year with mercurial rheumatism. My joints were all swollen, and I lost the use of my arms and legs and became helpless as an infant.

My sufferings became so intense that it was impossible for me to rest. The doctors advised me to go to the city hospital for treatment. This I could not bear. A friend, who has proved a friend indeed, urged me to try Swift's Specific, believing it would cure me. Others discouraged me, but I secured a few bottles, and have now taken two dozen bottles. The first effect of the medicine was to bring the poison to the surface, and I broke out all over in running sores. They soon disappeared, and my skin cleared off. My knees, which had become twice their natural size, have resumed their usual size, and are supple as of yore. My arms and hands are all right again, and can use them without pain. The entire disease has left all parts of the body save two ulcers on my wrists, which are healing rapidly. I am weak from long confinement, but I have the use of all my limbs. This medicine is bringing me out of the greatest trial of my life, and I cannot find words sufficient to express my appreciation of its virtues, and the gratitude I feel that I ever heard of it.

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LETTER FROM TEXAS.

WAXAHACHIE, TEX. June 16, '85.
 ED. REPUBLICAN:—Thinking you would likely appreciate a letter from this part of the moral vineyard I will give you a few items. We have just received a nice rain and every one feels buoyant over crop prospects. Farmers say we were good for 40 bushels of corn per acre without this rain. I have an idea this will increase it ten bushels. Wheat crop, just harvested, is without doubt the best in ten years, although considerably tangled by being blown down. Oat crop never better. We, in Ellis county, think we can boast of the banner county of Texas. Several Calhoun county farmers here. We hand the REPUBLICAN around until everything in the way of Alabama news is devoured. We are yet proud of Calhoun county and her noble sons. Think ere long I may have the pleasure of visiting you again. It seems quite a while since I last visited you in 1869. I read with satisfaction your prospect for crops of every kind. We certainly could enjoy, with our crop of Democratic success, a goodly yield of crops of every description. We are threatened some here with cotton worms, but if he leaves half we will make more than we can gather. Now, a word more in favor of our county and adjoining counties and sister towns. We have the boss county and have not a saloon in the county. I find that Denton, Palo Pinto and Limestone counties voted prohibition on the 13th inst., and I hope to see the day when there will not be a drop of the eviler sold in the broad land of the Lone Star State. We are soon to have another Railroad, one from Fort Worth, which will give us a boom. Two large flouring mills of 80 barrel capacity each and roller process. My kindest regards to old friends generally.

Yours &c.,
 JOE P. COOPER.

Another Cancer.

About three years ago there appeared on my right breast several hard lumps which gave me almost intolerable pain. They continued to grow, and finally developed into what the doctors called cancer of the breast. In a short time I found my strength gone and my constitution a total wreck. From a robust woman I was reduced to a helpless invalid. Several of the best physicians of Atlanta treated me for cancer, but without improving my condition in the least, and finally agreeing that they could do nothing more for me. The cancer by this time was eating out my very life, and for five months I was a helpless, bedridden creature. About one year ago, at the suggestion of a friend, I commenced the use of Swift's Specific. The first influence of the medicine was to increase the discharge, but after a month or more I began to improve, and this wonderful medicine has brought back my health again. I am now perfectly free from pain, and feel like a new person altogether. I cannot feel too grateful for this wonderful recovery, for I am satisfied if it had not been for Swift's Specific I would have been in my grave to day. I most cheerfully recommend it to all those who are suffering with this fearful disease.

Atlanta Ga. April 16, 1885.
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The Knott County, Kentucky, Vendetta.

CINCINNATI, June 19.—In Knott county, Kentucky, the war between the Hall and Jones factions is still raging. At the last encounter which occurred yesterday each party lost one man. This brings the list of killed in the last three weeks to nine. One of the Jones party returned from Cincinnati a day or two ago where he had invested \$400 in six shooters, with which the party are constantly armed.

Our energetic young farmer, A. G. Henry, Jr., sent 40 head of fine beef cattle to Louisville, Ky., last Saturday. T. L. Farrow had the cattle in charge. Mr. Henry has over 200 acres in corn on his place and not an acre in cotton, and he expects to raise a large lot of cattle for market next year.—*Gautierville Democrat.*

Alabama will furnish better democratic presidents than Cleveland at \$2.50 the dozen and consider them well sold at that price.—*Fort Payne Journal.*

COOSA VALLEY DISTRICT.

News from Surrounding Counties.

ETOWAH COUNTY.

Gadsden wants a daily mail line from that point to Duke's Station on the E. & W. R. R.

Mr. Thos. C. Cowan, of Gadsden, and Miss Sallie Harbour of Goshen, Cherokee county, were married in Gadsden recently.

Misses Ada Reed and Minnie Woodward of Gadsden are raising chickens on Lookout Mountain by means of an incubator.

Robt. Hasson and Mr. Jeter of Gadsden have received a patent for a railroad stock gap.

The locks on Coosa River will be ready for steamers to pass through by July 15.

The Etowah Teachers Institute will meet in Gadsden the first Saturday in July.

The Gadsden News says: "The Jacksonville Republican is one of our most valuable exchanges."

The citizens of Lookout Mountain, says a correspondent of the News, are trying to raise more corn and wheat and hogs and less cotton.

The wife and son of Adcock who shot Roy Fullenwider in Etowah county have been bound over to answer as accessories to the crime. Dillard, who was arraigned with them, was discharged.

The Gadsden Times wants Gadsden to have a park.

Col. W. H. Denson, delivered the annual oration before the Alabama Historical Society at Tuscaloosa last week.

A. L. Fullenwider, who was shot on the 7th inst., is doing very well. The ball has not been extracted yet.

Gadsden children have been having chicken pox.

Gadsden young men have recently fitted up a handsome club room.

The Times of last week says: "Adcock, who shot Fullenwider, is still at large. He was seen at Foster's X Roads several times last week. The sheriff and his deputy kept a sharp lookout for him, but he kept well posted as to their movements, and managed to keep out of their sight."

Mr. A. H. Cunningham of Atlanta died at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Duncan, in Gadsden, the 13th inst.

The reservoir of the Gadsden water-works is to be situated on Dr. Ewing's hill and will have a capacity of two million gallons.

Somebody reported to a Gainesville (Ga.) paper that one A. J. Baker, formerly of Gainesville, had been killed in Gadsden. The Times says the story is a canard, but that if Baker should drop in at some places not far from Gadsden, such a thing might occur.

TALLADEGA.

Talladega county Sunday School Convention will be held at Eastadoga July 18th and 19th.

Judge Box suspended Circuit court in Talladega until the 29th day of June in order to give farmers time to work out their crops during the clear weather following the rains.

The House gets after Talladega boys who stand around church doors and smoke cigars.

J. A. Bingham, of Eureka neighborhood, is one of Talladega's most prosperous farmers. He raises stock and grain and this accounts for his prosperity.

Messrs. Mosely & Bingham have opened out a rock quarry on the Talladega & Coosa Valley Railroad, a few miles from the city and we learn are very successfully operating the same.—*Home.*

Mr. Wallis, a prominent citizen of the Eureka neighborhood, died on the 7th at Eureka.

A mad dog was recently killed in Talladega town.

Mr. Ransom Williams of Talladega has a nine gallon cow.

Miss Janie Wallis of Talladega died on the 13th inst.

Mrs. Margaret Story, relict of the late James A. Story of Talladega, died at her home in that place the 15th inst. She was the daughter of Ex-State Senator Andrew Cunningham.

Talladega cows have been dying from eating mock orange.

Talladega is to have water-works.

Capt. G. K. Miller will soon be in his new house. Knox is deserving of all the convenience and elegancies that may surround him in his new home.

ST. CLAIR COUNTY.

Mad dogs are prevalent in Ashville and the Aegis wants all prowling dogs killed.

Mrs. Truss, mother of Maj. Jas. Truss, died at home in St. Clair county a few days ago.

The regular quarterly meeting of the St. Clair Board of Education has been changed from the first Saturday in July to the last Saturday in June.

The Ashville Aegis and the Jasper Eagle are poking fun at a party named P. D. Vickery, a lawyer, whom they dub the "eagle orator of Winston county."

Vickery is doubtless a "stump tail" with a bad case of big head. The newspapers have rarely to get after any other sort.

CHEROKEE COUNTY.

The Coosa River News says:

"The prospects for the Anniston & Chattanooga Railroad still brighten. Movements are on foot which are slow but sure. It takes time to bring matters to a proper focus, and our people must be patient and wait. We have it from a credible source that Chattanooga county has withdrawn her subscription (which was said to be some \$45,000 or \$75,000) from the Rome and Chattanooga R. R. project and desires to put it in the Anniston & Chattanooga Railroad. This is sensible, and a wise move."

The Rome Courier denies the above.

Upland wheat in Cherokee, it is said, will not average more than three bushels to the acre.

Next term of circuit court commences in Cherokee Sept. 21st, and may continue three weeks.

Cotton stalks 23 inches high from the farm of J. W. Bailey of Cherokee have been sent to the Rome Courier.

The teacher in Gaylesville High school charged with beating a pupil, a little son of A. C. Brown, has been bound over to answer at the next term of Cherokee circuit court.

Cedar Bluff is improving.

Rev. R. A. Speer and Mr. James Burnett of Cherokee county came near being drowned some days ago while fording Chattooga river, by their buggy drifting into deep water.

Married in Upper Cherokee the 18th inst., Mr. Flem Ray, aged 82 to Miss Sarah Dodson, aged 52.

Cotton choppers are paid one dollar a day near Thomas' mill in Cherokee.

Recent rain and wind storm damaged the crops about Thomas' mill.

Dr. Allgood of Amberson will move to Centre when his house is completed.

The farmers near Centre are getting the better of General Green.

The oat crop about Howell's X Roads is very fine. Wheat harvest is over.

A mad dog was killed near Howell's X Roads some days ago while trying to bite a man. It had already bitten ten or twelve dogs and some stock.

Some sickness around Cedar Springs. Farmers very busy and crops good in that neighborhood.

Crops fine and generally in good condition about Shinebone. Health of valley good and farmers working harder than ever before known.

A mad dog bit several other animals near Plano a few days ago. It was shot and crippled, but escaped.

James W. M. Witt, of Cherokee, has invented an electric telephone entirely different from anything in use and perhaps superior. So says the Advertiser.

CLEBURNE COUNTY.

The Edwardsville Standard calls upon the people of that town to unite and work for the general interests of the town. Good advice certainly.

Wheat in Cleburne county now

harvested and the yield pronounced good.

Work hands are very scarce in Cleburne.

Brother Yarbrough is getting well. He is calling lustily for beef in the Edwardsville market.

R. L. Kilgore has been appointed constable in Beat 3.

Teachers Institute of Cleburne meets at Heflin the 27th inst.

Frank Dodson of Comanche, Texas, was arrested in Cleburne county a few days ago, charged with stealing a horse in Texas. The Sheriff of Comanche county will come after him.

The vote on the change of name of Heflin, Cleburne county, stood fifty for Cleveland and ten for Heflin.

The Sunday school at Pound's chapel, in Cleburne county numbers ninety-five scholars.

Health of Shoal Creek neighborhood good. Crops poor and cotton late. Bottom lands drowned out.

Mrs. Gann, whose husband is in jail at Edwardsville was put in jail herself some days ago, preparatory to being sent to the Asylum at Tuscaloosa. She is insane.

Wheat and oats good about Hoopers mill, but corn and cotton small for the season.

Cleburne county is generally prosperous.

Morocco Prison Life.

Tangles Letter.

We went to the prisons, and looking through some huge doors of iron, gratings into large halls—caverns they appeared like—saw scores of abject looking prisoners of all ages making baskets, and straw goods. Seeing us, a number of them came running to the iron gratings and began begging for money or tobacco.

In a room near the prisons we were shown where they whipped convicts for insubordination, and also those whom the bashaw had found guilty of petty crimes. From appearances there must have been an immense amount of this terrible punishment inflicted in this room during the centuries of the past.

I was told that the prisoner was first stripped naked, and then stretched out on the floor, four muscular Arabs holding his hands and feet, while the unmerciful "cat-o-nine-tails" was being applied to his back. The oaken floor was worn deep and smoothly polished by the strugglings and writhings of the tortured victims under the cruel lash.

One of the guides got the "cat"—an ugly relic of past barbarism—and showed it to me. It consisted of several thick lashes of rawhide, about thirty inches long, attached to a stout oaken handle of the same length. I observed that the lashes were stained with blood, and the same red stains could be seen spattered about the floor and walls.

As I appeared to take much interest in the room and in listening to the details of the punishment, the guides volunteered to the consul to go out and get a prisoner and have him whipped before me, probably thinking it would be an interesting spectacle for me to witness, but I energetically declined the kind offer.

Promoting Small Farms.

The schemes of a "Small Farm Company" in England is already assuming definite shape. The general scope of the company will be to buy up land and to re-sell it in small parcels by a system of annual payments. In so doing the company will, it is hoped, meet the particular wants of several cases of people—such, for instance, as of agricultural laborers, each of whom would own separate plots, but who would be able to use horses, plows, etc., in common.

(2) Small farms, willing to farm holdings of not more than thirty acres.

(3) Tradesmen and other immigrants from neighboring towns wishing to add to their resources by various kinds of petty culture, market gardening, bee keeping, poultry, breeding, and the like. It is an excellent scheme and its progress deserves to be watched with close and practical interest.

Montgomery is undergoing the trying ordeal of a military frolic. The sham battle was a grand success, but it failed to conquer "General Green" now in possession of many corn and cotton fields, nor has it, as far as we could ascertain, raised any mortgagees off the farms.—*Blount County News.*

A young man named Gossett of Jackson county was jailed some days ago for church burning on Sand Mountain.

STATE NEWS.

The Clarke county Democrat says: A negro in Clarke county a few days ago poisoned his step-child by giving it Paris green. He says he gave the poison to annoy or trouble his wife, intending to sicken, but not to kill the child. He was lodged in jail the night after the child died.

Henry county pays a state and county tax of \$17,820.10, and out of this the county gets for school purposes \$8,873.50.

Officer J. H. Evans, of Eufula, shot and dangerously wounded a negro man, last Tuesday, who was escaping arrest.

The Selma Times notes a visit yesterday from Mr. Lawrence R. Smith, who has been making geological surveys in Marengo county. He left specimens of coal said to have been found there by him in considerable quantities.

Capt. Mitchell has resumed work on the Choctawhatchee river.

The Courier says that Clayton needs a tailor.

Mr. E. F. Noble, a worthy young man of Montgomery died in that city the 18th.

Mrs. Madge Province, a widow lady, died some days at Thorpe, Jackson county.

Miss Sallie Fletcher, of Jackson county, an interesting young lady, died in Jackson county lately.

Mr. E. B. Clark, of Chambers county, killed a coach-whip snake seven feet long some days ago.

The fund for building the home for the Y. M. C. A., in Selma has reached a point that insures the building.

George Taylor, a drummer, traveling for Simmons' Liver Regulator, was drowned near Florence some days ago, while trying to make his way down the river in a frail skiff.

A State Temperance Convention is called to meet in Athens July 28th and 29th.

A young white woman, who is said to be rather good looking, has been jailed at Talladega for living in adultery with a negro.

The post office at Wilsonville, Shelby county, was broken open a few nights ago and a small sum of money stolen.

John Sams, colored, a son of Terry Sams, of this place, was drowned on last Sunday evening while in bathing with four or five other boys. He could not swim, and ventured beyond his depth. The other boys were so frightened that they did not attempt to render any assistance, but ran off and reported the fact to others. John was about 15 years of age.—*Shelby Sentinel.*

Calera Sunday Schools and citizens have determined to have an old fashioned barbecue July 4th.

The crop outlook about Calera is very good.

Probate Judge Moor of Blounts-

ville has discovered that there is a coal mine on his land near that place.

Bram Wheat, aged 17, was run over by a train at Cullman and killed the 13th.

Mrs. Amanda Cornelius, of Blount county, died the 13th.

Blount county Commissioners Court is going to build a new jail.

Haneville, Blount county, will celebrate 4th of July.

Mrs. Bell and Mrs. Harmon both aged ladies of Randolph county died a few days ago.

The wife of Robert Jackson of Union Springs died and the stomach was sent to Auburn for analysis. The chemist found arsenic in quantity and Jackson was arrested and lodged in jail.

Miss Eloise Buford, who delighted the Alabama Press Association with her singing, when the Association met in Selma, is in Italy completing her musical education.

Chancellor McSpadden made a favorable impression upon our bar as a lawyer and gentleman. We hope he found his stay here pleasant.—*Tuskegee News.*

Reports from crops from all portions of the county indicate a very fair prospect. The season is backward but it is thought that the year will be an average in the yield of all crops in this section.—*Tuskegee News.*

Tidwell, who killed Whitfield a few months ago in Jackson county has been sentenced to two years in the penitentiary.

Henry Dodson, convicted in Jackson county of murdering another negro has been sentenced to the penitentiary for life. A negro was on the jury that convicted him.

A young man named Gossett of Jackson county was jailed some days ago for church burning on Sand Mountain.

Athens is to have a box factory.

GENERAL NEWS.

Gladstone has been offered a peerage by the Queen of England, but up to this time has refused it.

The friends of Auditor Reynolds have prevailed upon the coroner to reopen the inquest of the late supposed suicide of that gentleman in St. Louis, and will show to the satisfaction of the public that he did not commit suicide, but fell through the air shaft of the Southern hotel from the effects of a fit of vertigo.

Hon. Bayless W. Hanna swapped the Persian mission for that to the Argentine Republic. There is more to see in Persia but less to pay in South America. In fact, only unmarried men, or those who have married to no purpose, can afford the expenses of the Shah's court.

Mr. Blaine has offered himself to Ohio this summer for Foraker. As Mr. Blaine has nothing else to do, we can't find it in our hearts to oppose him in his wish.

Editors continue to capture a good share of the public pie. The last batch of foreign appointments was adorned with the names of two. If this thing keeps up we will begin to believe that editors know a flesh pot from a shooting stick.

Mr. Andrew Carnegie, of Pennsylvania, who has made millions in the iron business, has given \$50,000 to aid in investigating the bacilli theory of cholera, and vaccination as a preventive.

The poet Stoddard very appropriately goes as Consul to Athens. It may be set down that he is not too much of a poet to prevent his making an efficient Consul.

Dallas county is no longer alone in her glory. A county in South Carolina comes to the front with a sixty year old, simon pure African who has turned white.

PINE LEVEL, ALA., June 17.—Tuesday last during a thunder storm two negroes on the plantation of Mr. Wm. Parks were instantly killed by lightning. They had been at work in a field near the house, and just come in the house out of the rain and were sitting around the fire when they received a stroke.

Troy, ALA., June 18.—W. B. Corley, superintendent of the Troy Fertilizer Company, suicided this morning at Atlanta, Ga. No reasonable conjecture exists as to the cause of the rash act. He was in good circumstances, had a fine salary and a happy home and business in proper shape.

T. H. Stubbs, Supt. of the Western Union Telegraph Co., at Chicago, has made affidavit before the Illinois House of Representatives that Representative Baxter, of Moultrie county had approached him with the proposition to kill a telegraph bill then pending for \$2,500. Baxter denies that he made any such offer to receive a bribe.

Terrible explosion in Pendlebury collier, near Manchester, England, the 19th. Three hundred and fifty men were at work in the mine at the time, of whom probably a hundred were killed.

Gen. Grant's condition is again very critical. He cannot now speak, but communicates with his friends by writing.

Dr. J. T. B. Foard, of Escambia, who was appointed by the President to be consul at Cardenas, Cuba, has declined the office.

Twenty-five iron mills have resumed operations in Pittsburg and others will start soon. This is an evidence of returning prosperity.

Gen. G. W. C. Lee has resigned the Presidency of Washington and Lee University on account of ill health.

York, England, recently received an earthquake shock. Great alarm among the people.

Andrews, a colored applicant for a West Point cadetship has passed successful examination.

BALTIMORE, June 18.—Geo. A. Piers, a white man, was convicted to-day of beating his wife while she was in a delicate condition of health. He was sentenced to receive fifteen lashes and to four months in jail. He is the second white man sentenced to the lash for wife beating.

Cluverius, the murderer of Lilian Madison has been sentenced to be hung the 20th day of November next.

Secretary Manning, in order to reduce expenses of the government, has discharged from the public service three hundred gingers and store-keepers, whose average pay was \$4 a day, each.

Max J. Weiser, mailing clerk in San Antonio post office has been arrested for purloining registered letters.

Thos. Mason, a brakeman, fell between the cars near Mouse Creek, Tenn., and was run over by eight cars.

THE REASON WHY.

The Tuskegee News says: "Democrats do not wish to see Republicans removed because of excessive political activity, but because they are Republicans, and a Democratic Administration should be carried on by Democratic officers."

"I wouldn't give a nickel," Mr. Randall says, and every genuine Democrat agrees with him. "For a man who isn't an offensive partisan, in the sense now applied to the term, actively in the interest of the party to which he belongs. Officeholders should be removed because they are Republicans. Public sentiment, in my opinion, would sustain such a course."

AWAY WITH HIM

The commercial outlook is propitious, crops are fine, and the man that sits around the street corners crying hard times ought to be sent to the coal mines. Away with the loafer and croaker.—*Scottsboro Citizen.*

SPIRIT OF THE STATE PRESS.

SUCCESSFUL FARMING.

Republishing from the Republic, the article about Mr. William J. Whiteside, one of Calhoun's most successful farmers, the *Lafayette Sun* thus comments: "We call the attention of our readers to this lesson in successful farming. And if you will but look around you, you will find the lesson, in not a few instances, practically illustrated. Find a prosperous farmer in your neighborhood, and he will tell you that he raises all of the food for his teams, cattle and family at home, and pays cash for those things that he has to buy; then talk with your unsuccessful neighbor and you will find that he plants all of his land in cotton except barely enough corn to furnish bread for his family. He keeps his smoke house and corn crib in the West and pays from 25 to 50 percent for the privilege. It seems to us one of the strangest things in nature that the masses of our farming population learn so slowly from experience. Twenty years of sad experience has taught a small percentage of them that the secret of success in farming is to first raise a living at home and let the cotton be a surplus, from which money may be laid up for a rainy day."

BUT SUPPOSE. An Iowa judge has decided that a man is in duty bound to tell his wife where he spends the evenings when he is away from home. This decision is all right to a certain extent, but suppose the man doesn't know.—*Gadsden Times.*

CLEVELAND'S REMOVAL PILLS.

"The mills of the gods grind slowly, but they grind exceedingly fine," and Grover Cleveland's Celebrated Removal Pills are grinding out the Radical Postmasters all over the country, to the great satisfaction of the people.—*Talladega Home.*

A SATISFACTORY TEST.

"In fact we believe that one satisfactory test of a man's fidelity to political convictions, and that one who is unfaithful to his political obligations will be found unfaithful to any duty that devolves upon him. It is true in politics, as in any other of the affairs of life, that those only who have the courage of their convictions, who adhere to some system of political doctrine, who are guided by some fixed political principles, who are governed by some code of political ethics, who are loyal and faithful to some political party, who are zealous and earnest in maintaining and upholding their doctrines, and active in the support of their party, are worthy of public confidence and public trust. The man who betrays the party to which he professes allegiance, who drifts from one party to another in quest of spoils, who is with one party to-day and courting, affiliating and co-operating with another to-morrow will prove unfaithful to any other duty or obligation and betray any other trust whenever there is sufficient temptation to do so."—*Shelby Sentinel.*

WHOOOP LA!

Closing an exceptionally strong article in opposition to the proposition of the Tuscaloosa Times to change the Constitution so as to admit state aid to works of internal improvement, the Hayneville

Roping in a Waiter.

He was a man with a triangular smile, a cold, steel-gray eye, and a face as clean shaven as a priest. He sat down at the end of a dinner table at the Grand Pacific Hotel, tucked a napkin under his chin, smiled patronizingly upon the bowing waiter and said:

"Bring me a good tony dinner, Thomas. No soup to-day—thanks."

"Yes, sah."

"Plenty of substantial—turkey, second joint, remember."

"Yes, sah."

"With a dash of cranberry sauce."

"Yes, sah."

"See that the vegetables are all warm."

"Yes, sah."

"And Thomas," calling him back, "the roast beef must be rare and fat—don't forget."

"Yes, sah—yes, sah."

Then he stroked his face with the air of a man on the best terms with himself, dipped a lump of sugar into his glass of water, crushed it into his mouth, dropped back into a graceful attitude, and occupied himself watching the other guests until the waiter returned with his dinner heaped upon a tray.

"Thomas," he said, as the waiter ranged the dishes in a semi-circle before him, "you must do better if you expect me to remember you, as I'm in the habit of doing. The last time I was here—the day General Sheridan was with me—you brought me a dinner good enough for a king. But this is shabby. Thomas—very shabby. After the way I've always looked after you—tapping his breast pocket significantly. "The baked oysters on the half-shell are missing, Thomas. I don't see any lobster salad or wine jelly. You must use better taste, or I shall have to wade through the bill myself, Thomas, and I have such a headache I don't like to do it. This beef seems cooked to a crisp, and looks tough as finance. Take it all away, Thomas, and try again. See if you can't do justice to your reputation. Remember I am ill, Thomas, and don't be sparing of the dainties. You know my weakness—touch the palate in the right spot, and it's the same thing as putting your hand in my pocket," with a wink that opened the waiter's face from ear to ear.

"Yes, sah—yes, sah. Get it right this time Gen'l. See de mistake— took ye fo' somebody from Milwaukee—beg pardon, sah—beg pardon—didn't see ye fah in de face. We all git's fused sometimes—so many gemmen comin'."

And the waiter, with many apologies, lavished his best bow upon the self-asserting stranger as he gathered up the dishes with alacrity. In a few moments he returned with the choicest viands the house afforded, and this met with such unmistakable evidence of approval that he stepped over to a brother waiter and informed him, in an exultant whisper, that he had just lodged a member of the Cabinet with the best of satisfaction, and would get a five-dollar fee sure. The other offered him a dollar for his chance, and lost his friendship from that moment.

"Thomas!"

"Yes, sah."

The waiter was bowing at his side in an instant, and received the order for dessert, which he proceeded to execute with the utmost dispatch, not forgetting to include a good display of rare delicacies, and his own voluntary tribute to greatness.

With folded arms he took his position behind the chair of the stranger, and waited impatiently for the moment when he should see something glitter as it was slyly slipped under the plate, for he felt that a member of the Cabinet could not consistently swerve from the gold standard.

"Thomas!"

"Yes, sah."

"These figs have been exposed to the air for some time."

"Yes, sah."

"Bring some from a fresh box, please. My stomach is very delicate to-day."

"Yes, sah."

The eye of the stranger watched the retreating form of the sable child of hope until it passed through the door, and then the man arose and hastily left the room. Gentle reader, would you know who it was that so basely abused the confidence of the susceptible son of Ham? You shall. He was a St. Louis drummer.

How Indians Catch Eagles.

Among our Indians the most highly prized article of adornment is eagle feathers. They not only use them for making head dresses and ornamenting their blankets, but use them as money in the purchase of fire-water, tobacco and other necessities of Indian life. Among the Blackfeet the mode of catching them is interesting. After holding an eagle dance the "braves" repair to the mountains, where each digs a pit and covers it lightly with reeds and grass. A piece of tough buffalo meat done up in a wolf-skin is laid on the pit. After the sun is risen the eagle swoops down, alighting upon the wolf-skin, which he begins to tear. The Indian who is concealed in the pit reaches out stealthily, seizes the bird by its legs and drags it into the pit, where he crushes its breast with his knees. The return of a successful party is the occasion of great rejoicing, and the plumage of our bird of liberty graces the top-knot of a greasy Indian buck. "To what base uses, etc."

MORROW HANGED

Middle Tennessee's Famous Cave Murderer Expires His Terrible Crime—Other Hangings.

Chattanooga Times.

CLARKSVILLE, June 19.—William Morrow was hanged here this afternoon for the murder of Dick Overton. He walked on the scaffold at 2 o'clock. Mr. Johnson said: "Bill! you are about to leave this world. Are you prepared to die?" Morrow answered: "I am, and do not fear death." Mr. Johnson then asked if the written statement previously made was correct. He replied that it was. Dr. Sears offered prayer and Mr. Johnson led the prisoner on the trap and the black cap was adjusted. He said he had no further statement to make, and felt ill towards no man. He stood firm and quietly directed the Sheriff how to arrange his hands. The trap was sprung at 2:14, the body falling six feet, and breaking the neck. He died without a struggle fifteen minutes afterwards.

The Morrrows owned property in Montgomery and stood very high in the community. The father of the unfortunate man hanged to-day had three sons and one daughter, the daughter marrying Dr. Bellamy, son of the late Jesse Bellamy, D. D.

In June, 1884, J. W. Pachard called upon the attorney General of Montgomery county and gave him some information regarding Ramon Morrow, Wm. Morrow and Dr. Bellamy, which, with testimony that was afterward secured, led to their arrest and indictment for the murder of James Brown, colored, in 1877, and of Dick Overton, colored, in 1883.

The arrest of the three men occasioned great excitement on account of their high standing, which was intensified by the finding in a cave near the Morrow residence, of the putrefied corpse of Overton, and some bones that were supposed to be those of a human being. The body of Overton had been placed on the slide in the cave, but the coat worn by the murdered man had caught on a snag at the mouth of the chasm, and there the remains had lain for ten months. They were identified by relatives of Overtons, and given decent burial.

MOB IN OHIO.

A Negro Assaults Two Ladies and is Hanged by a Body of Armed Vigilantes.

Pittsburg, June 19.—[Extra Report.]—A Chococoon, Ohio, special says: Henry Howard, the negro who assaulted Miss Bacher and Miss Phillips near West Lafayette yesterday, was hanged from a tree in the Court house yard to night at 11 o'clock. The crowd which gathered about the jail kept increasing till eleven o'clock. When the light in front of the jail was put out the crowd was ordered to stand back, and one hundred masked men marched to the door of the jail and forced the outer door; they took the keys of the jail and cell from the Sheriff and in about twenty minutes appeared with their prisoner. They were received with deafening cheers by the crowd, which numbered about 1,000. They took him to the centre of the court house yard, and after getting his confession, which was that he was guilty, but was sorry that he had done the deed, they put a hemp rope around his neck and strung him up. Everybody seemed eager to lend a hand.

This is the first occasion of the kind in the county, and is strongly condemned by the best citizens. Miss Bacher, one of the ladies assaulted, is not expected to recover.

Horrible Fate of a Balloonist.

CHARLESTON, W. VA., June.—One of the out of doors attractions of Richard & Leon's circus, was a balloon ascension. Just as the rope holding the balloon was cast off to-day, the hot air stove used in inflating the balloon overturned and set the balloon on fire. The balloon shot up rapidly with William Patterson in the basket. He was afraid to jump and the balloon was several hundred feet before it collapsed. Patterson was picked up a shapeless mass of lifeless flesh. He was only twenty-two years old and this was his first ascension.

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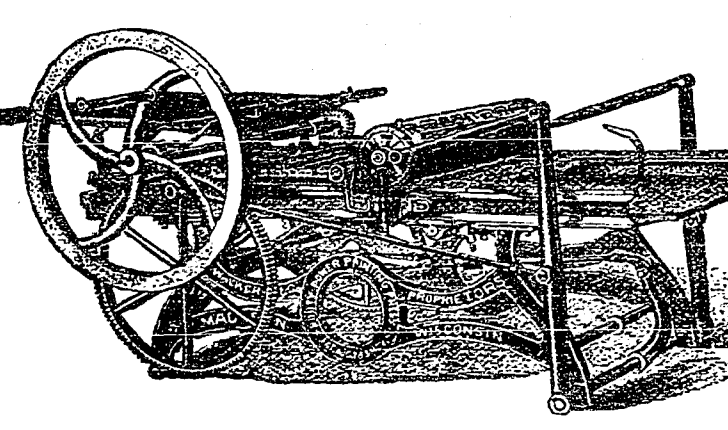
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